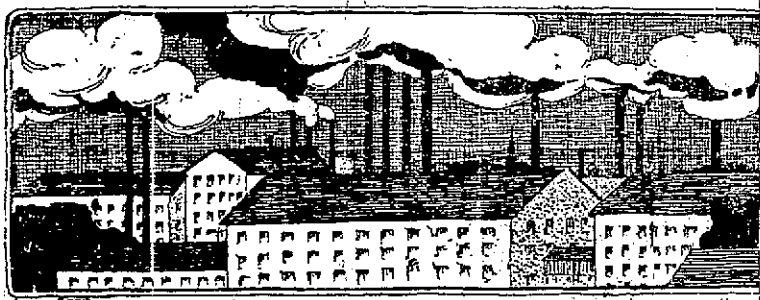




## Connellsville's Greatest Store



## Our Week Sale of Remnants

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## Very Smart Silks Odd, Lengths Clearing

During our Remnant Week we present an exceptionally good opportunity to secure a dress length, a skirt length, or enough for a blouse or Spring Coat lining, at substantial savings.

The Silk Remnants in this sale will be sold at One Half Off or less during this sale. Comprised in this collection are Taffetas, Messalines, Foulards, Georgette Crepes and Crepe de Chines.

## To Save a Dollar is to Make a Dollar

People are saving dollars in these Remnant Week Sales.

The Sales are held annually in this month—the purpose being to close out entirely certain surplus stocks of a big business and a busy season.

The prices are the lowest of the season and are final calling for prompt purchasers.

## Knit Underwear at Reduced Prices

The Annual Remnant Week of surplus stocks of Knit Underwear is hereby announced. The price reductions are One Fourth Off.

All Wool Union Suits, high neck and long sleeves, sizes 4 to 9, regular \$4.00 values—One Fourth Off.

Silk and Wool Union Suits, high neck, long sleeves, sizes 4 to 9, regular \$3.75 values—One Fourth Off.

All Wool Shirts and Pants, all sizes, regular \$1.50 values—One Fourth Off.

These are our regular fine, reliable, Munsing Underwear, and at these prices should be purchased promptly.



## Millinery at Greatly Reduced

## Prices.

We have done the largest Millinery business this season that this store has ever done. Why? Because we have given the people the Hats they were looking for at the lowest prices. It is our intention to give you a Hat at this sale so cheap that it will surprise you. Look at these values. They are less than the actual cost.

Lot 1—50 Hats, values to \$3.95 are now 95c  
Lot 2—20 Hats, values to \$4.95 now \$1.95  
Lot 3—10 Hats, values to \$6.95 now \$2.95  
Lot 4—10 Hats, values to \$8.95 now \$3.95  
Lot 5—5 Hats, value to \$11.95 now \$4.95  
Lot 6—8 Hats, values to \$14.95 now \$6.95  
All Other Hats Are Reduced One Half Off Or More.

## Our Week Sale of Remnants

Starts Saturday, January 25th and ends January 31st. We will offer during this sale the greatest bargains ever offered in this city. Look over the items on this page and see for yourself.



## Children's Coats at Greatly

## Reduced Prices.

We have established an Infants Department in this store that is second to none in this section. The only way we could do that was to give you the best merchandise we could give you at the lowest possible prices. In this sale we are going to give you the Children's Coats you are looking for at less than their actual cost.

## All Our Children's Coats One Third Off.

All our \$2.50 Coats are now ..... \$1.67  
All our \$5.00 Coats are now ..... \$3.33  
All our \$7.50 Coats are now ..... \$5.00  
All our \$10.00 Coats are now ..... \$6.67  
All our \$12.50 Coats are now ..... \$8.33  
All our \$15.00 Coats are now ..... \$10.00  
All our \$17.50 Coats are now ..... \$11.67  
All our \$20.00 Coats are now ..... \$13.33

## During Our Week Sale

\$1.00 Thermometer will be given away with every \$5.00 purchase.

Extra Special! \$5.00 Stand will be given away with \$1.49 in cash and \$10.00 in purchases. Don't Miss these items. Ask the clerk about them.

## Coats 1/2 Off Suits 1/2 Off Dresses 1/2 Off

Our Great Week Sale of Remnants during the last week of January is to be the greatest business here in months. Large assortments, choice goods and prices to make it that. Not only what is here mentioned, but in every department in this store are styles and values that warrant attention. Therefore in your own interests come to this great Week Sale of Remnants and test us. You will find it will pay you well. Follow up our prices that will back our statements. Come and see. No C. O. D. No Credits. No refunds. Every sale must be final.

ALL OUR \$20.00 COATS, SUITS AND DRESSES NOW \$10.00  
ALL OUR \$27.50 COATS, SUITS AND DRESSES NOW \$13.75  
ALL OUR \$35.00 COATS, SUITS AND DRESSES NOW \$17.50  
ALL OUR \$40.00 COATS, SUITS AND DRESSES NOW \$20.00  
ALL OUR \$45.00 COATS, SUITS AND DRESSES NOW \$22.50  
ALL OUR \$50.00 COATS, SUITS AND DRESSES NOW \$25.00  
ALL OUR \$55.00 COATS, SUITS AND DRESSES NOW \$27.50

ALL OUR \$25.00 COATS, SUITS AND DRESSES NOW \$12.50  
ALL OUR \$30.00 COATS, SUITS AND DRESSES NOW \$15.00  
ALL OUR \$37.50 COATS, SUITS AND DRESSES NOW \$18.75  
ALL OUR \$42.50 COATS, SUITS AND DRESSES NOW \$21.25  
ALL OUR \$47.50 COATS, SUITS AND DRESSES NOW \$23.75  
ALL OUR \$50.00 COATS, SUITS AND DRESSES NOW \$25.00  
ALL OUR \$55.00 COATS, SUITS AND DRESSES NOW \$27.50

25 full size Cotton Blankets, worth \$3.95, Remnant Week Special \$2.95.

25 full size Cotton Blankets, worth \$5.00, Remnant Week Special \$3.50.

30 large size Cotton Blankets, worth \$6.50, Remnant Week Special \$4.38.

25 large size Wool Knap Blankets, worth \$8.50, Remnant Week Special \$6.50.

10 large size All Wool Blankets, worth \$22.50, Remnant Week Special \$15.00.

500 yards of White Outing Flannel, worth 30c, Remnant Week Special 19 1/2c yd.

500 yards of Bell in Hand Crash, worth 35c, Remnant Week Special 20 1/2c yd.

10 yards of Black and White Calico, worth 28c, Remnant Week Special 16 3/4c yd.

Hills, Hope & Advertiser, 36 in. Bleached Muslin, worth 35c, Remnant Week Special 24 1/2c yd.

900 pairs of pure thread Silk Hose, all sizes and colors, worth \$1.50, Remnant Week Special, 89c per pair.

50 pair of Ladies' Hose, only all sizes, worth 29c, Remnant Week Special 12 1/2c.

100 pair of Ladies' Black Hose, all sizes, worth 49c, Remnant Week Special 29c.

81x90 Kenwood Sheets, guaranteed worth \$1.95, Remnant Week Special \$1.59 each.

63x90 Kenwood Sheets, guaranteed worth \$1.75, Remnant Week Special \$1.48 each.

81x99 Kenwood Sheets, guaranteed worth \$2.25, Remnant Week Special \$1.89 each.

9-4 Bleached Sterling Sheet, worth 85c, Remnant Week Special 65c yd.

2 to 6 year White Lawn Dresses, worth \$2.25, Remnant Week Special 98c each.

6 to 15 year Colored Dresses, worth \$1.50, Remnant Week Special 79c each.

Children's Hats, values to \$3.95 Remnant Week Special 98c each.

All our Children's Furs are reduced for Remnant Week One Half Off Marked Prices.

75 Ladies' Cotton Waists, all sizes, worth \$1.00, Remnant Week Special 59c each.

50 Ladies' Georgette Waists, all colors, worth \$5.50, Remnant Week Special \$3.95.

100 Ladies' Knit Skirts, good quality, worth 75c, Remnant Week Special 49c each.

50 Ladies' Fleeced Lined Union Suits, worth \$1.50, Remnant Week Special 95c each.

500 yards of Devonshire Cloth, worth 50c, Remnant Week Special 43 3/4c yd.

200 yards of Kimona Crepe, good colors, worth 60c, Remnant Week Special 39 1/2c yd.

100 yards of Table Damask, 58 inches wide, worth \$1.35, Remnant Week Special 75c yd.

Children's Toques, all colors, worth \$1.25, Remnant Week Special 59c each.

129-133 North  
Pittsburg Street

## THE E. DUNN STORE

Connellsville  
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### STEEL PRODUCTION NOW BETWEEN 60 AND 70 PER CENT, MAY BE LESS SOON

The Railroad Systems Still Out of the Market, Waiting Decision of Congress as Future Control.

Special to The Weekly Courier. NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—The American Metal Market and Daily Iron & Steel Report will review the steel and iron trades tomorrow as follows:

There is a slight improvement in buying of steel products, particularly in the form of specifying against old contracts, but the new shipping orders entered are not equal to current shipments, which are largely against old orders, and the rate of steel production is marked for further decline until fundamental conditions are altered. Steel production this week is between 60 and 70 per cent of capacity, but it seems far from probable that a rate of 50 per cent or less will be struck within a few weeks.

The amount of business being booked, or in sight, is manifestly altogether insufficient to engage existing steel mill capacity. Steel is absorbed in volume sufficient to engage steel mills to operate at capacity only when a

great deal of steel is passing into works of permanent character, works that represent regular investments, and there is no disposition on the part of investors to make such commitments at present. An important customer of the steel industry, the country's railroad system, is practically out of the market. The Railroad Administration is not in position to formulate a program of buying, nor are the individual railroads. Congress must first determine who is to be responsible for railroad operations.

Steel prices are being maintained absolutely, there being no signs in any direction of falling, even fractionally. This situation does not surprise those who are familiar with steel trade practices. There is no temptation to sell to cut prices.

Steel production costs show a declining tendency to the extent that various expensive practices, necessitated by war exigencies, are being dropped, while labor is already becoming more efficient. Reduced operations, however, generally increase the cost per ton, other things being equal, so that the full force of the readjusting tendency in costs is not being fully disclosed in actual computations of cost per ton.

### FRENCH SACRIFICE FOR LIBERTY HEROIC

Six millions of French sons have offered their lives that democracy might live. Thirty million other French men and women sacrificed their all for the same purpose, America's debt of gratitude to France for this is very great. We also are indebted to her for an invaluable remedy for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, discovered by her peasants, which it is reported has saved many American lives, and prevented thousands of surgical operations. Geo. H. Mayr, for many years a prominent Chicago chemist, imports the ingredients and sells this remedy under the name of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. A. A. Clarke and druggists everywhere.—Adv.

For Sale. All ladies' coats in plush or cloth 1/2 off. Buy now and save. The Peoples Department Store.—Adv. 24-1t.

### At the Theatres

#### THE PARAMOUNT.

"FOR FREEDOM"—With William Farnum in the leading role, is a big feature today. While the picture touches on the great war, it is based on the miscarriage of justice. The story is of a man falsely accused and imprisoned who at the outbreak of the war between the United States and Germany wins parole on his plea that he be permitted to fight for his country. He falls in love with a girl and then goes to France. After distinguishing himself on the battlefield he returns. His past is revealed to the girl under dramatic circumstances, but the story of his offense is satisfactorily explained in the climax, and Cupid is triumphant. There is not a moment without punch and Mr. Farnum's work is up to the best. His scenes in the prison, on the battlefield as a paroled man, and in his fight to win the girl he loves are "heart-clutchers." In other words they are Farnum scenes of the true sort. More than a hundred soldiers and sailors are seen in a scene in the interior of a canteen established for the comfort

#### SOISSON.

COUNTRY STORE TONIGHT—in addition to the rousing comedy success "The Only Son," which the Manhattan players will present at the Soisson today and tonight, Messrs. Hillis and Wagner announce a still bigger and better country store with a collection of big presents that will surprise everyone. It will be a memorable night in Connellsville's theatrical history. Saturday matinee the Manhattan will offer "The Kaiser Be Dammed," with a big kiddies' carnival. Presents and candy will be provided. The engagement closes Saturday night with William A. Brady's success, "Sinners." Next week Manager Wagner will offer a splendid collection of late feature releases.

At the Woman's Club. "Miss Gausp is very quiet over there." "Yes, she says she's in a train of thought." "Are trains of that kind dangerous?" "I should say so. Just wait and see how many people are run down."

"I'm in town, Honey"

Ask Your Grocer.

Aunt Jimma's Buckwheat Flour

Aunt Jimma's Pancake Flour



## NEWSY NOTES TELL WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE MILL TOWN

**Single Case Of Influenza in Week Reported to Health Board.**

**CO-OPERATION IS WATCHWORD**

Only With the Aid of Physicians, in Reporting Disease, Can Health Board Keep in Touch With Situation, Officer Says; Mill Town News.

(To the public:—Items for the Scottsdale column of The Courier or of interest generally may be left at Ruth-erford's News Stand, Pittsburgh street. They will receive prompt attention. They must be written and should be carefully prepared, using one side of the paper only, in order to insure correct publication. Special care should be used with proper names. Do not use the telephone in communicating with this agency. Write it. All communications must be signed.)

**Special to The Courier.**  
**SCOTSDALE, Jan. 24.**—One lone case of influenza was reported during the past week, said Health Officer Frank P. Goshorn in commenting on the improved health conditions of the town. That there may be a few more cases he does not doubt, but they have not been reported to the health officials. There is no law that com-pels the reporting of influenza cases, he said, but in order to keep tabs on the disease during the epidemic he has called upon the physicians each day for a report. He said that the health of Scottsdale generally was good as far as contagious disease was concerned, that the only really serious thing reported in the past month were two cases of diphtheria. One of these died and the other has re-covered.

**Sergeant Mawhinney Home.**  
Sergeant George Mawhinney of Tarr, a member of Company E, 110th Infantry, passed through here yesterday on his way to his home at Tarr. Sergeant Mawhinney was with Lieutenant William C. Stevenson when Lieutenant Stevenson was shot by a German sniper and it was Mawhinney who pretended to be dead and relieved over until he could aim at the sniper who brought Stevenson down, and finally he got the sniper. Mawhinney was shot through the face and was considered by physicians to be one of the luckiest soldiers that was in the hospital where most of the 24th Division men were cared for.

**For Sale.**  
Four-room house, lot 48x110 feet on 5th avenue, occupied by Mrs. Hickey, for \$1,500.00. E. F. Dewitt. 21-  
**Large Audience Nightly.**  
The Methodist Episcopal revival services are bringing large crowds to the church each evening. Tonight will be Sunday school night and a large crowd is expected. Wednesday night was business men's night and this brought out an excellent crowd of business men.

**For Sale.**  
Pittsburg coal, good furnace coal, 12c per bushel. Delivered C. O. D. Call 71-B Bell. Adv-16-18.  
**Harry Fretts Back.**  
Harry Fretts, a local boy, a machinist with the infantry in France, has arrived safely in New York and been sent on to a camp in New Jersey where he will receive his discharge.

**Returns to Camp.**  
Dawey H. King, a Company E, 110th man, who had been at his Tarr home on a furlough, has returned to camp in New Jersey.

**Game Saturday Night.**  
West Newton will play the Scott-dale high school five at the Y. M. C. A. floor on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.

**For Sale.**  
Seven room house, new stable, chicken house, one acre land on Rogantown road, for \$1,600, or will trade for town property. E. F. Dewitt. Adv-20-31-eod.

**Personal.**  
Mrs. C. A. Colborn, Mrs. J. T. Keithley and Mrs. S. C. Bosworth attended the annual missionary society meeting of the Woman's Home Mis-

## Save the Babies

**INFANT MORTALITY** is something frightful. We can hardly realize that of all the children born in civilized countries, twenty-two per cent., or nearly one-quarter, die before they reach one year; thirty-seven per cent., or more than one-third, before they are five, and one-half before they are fifteen.

We do not hesitate to say that a timely use of Castoria would save many of these precious lives. Neither do we hesitate to say that many of these infantile deaths are occasioned by the use of narcotic preparations. Drops, tinctures and soothing syrups sold for children's complaints contain more or less opium or morphine. They are, in considerable quantities, deadly poisons. In any quantity they stupefy, retard circulation and lead to congestions, sickness, death. There can be no danger in the use of Castoria if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher, as it contains no opiates or narcotics of any kind. Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*.

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## INQUIRY TO BE MADE INTO EXTENT MINERS PLAN TO GO TO EUROPE

Operators Solicitous as to the Effect of a Probable Exodus on the Mine Labor Supply.

Advices from Harrisburg state that steps are being taken by the State Department of Mines, directing the inspectors in the Western Pennsylvania bituminous field to ascertain probable conditions for this year, because of reports which have come here of the expressed desire of many miners from Europe to return to their old homes and see what damage was done by the armies, and how their relatives fared. It is recognized that it will be months before miners go in the Army and Navy can be released and resume their work and the labor problem is giving officials considerable concern. A shortage of workers is believed certain to extend for some time and it may grow worse.

If the foreign countries should find it desirable to keep their men at home, Pennsylvania mines will lose their greatest source of labor supply, said one of the officials of the Department of Mines. "In some sections we have had disturbing reports about men wanting to go back, now that the war is over, and if they go back that means many of them will never return to this state."

Information obtained from Federal sources regarding immigration is not reassuring, either. There is no certainty about what supply can be looked for, and last the immigration amounted to less than 111,000. It is believed that the situation in Western Pennsylvania, where every effort was made to speed up production last year, will be severely affected by labor shortage this year.

## CLARENCE NEWELL, DICKERSON RUN, IS SEVERELY WOUNDED

Name Appears in Official War Department Casualty List for Today; Marine Corps List.

The name of Clarence Newell, next of kin Mrs. M. N. Newell of Dickerson Run, appears among the severely wounded in today's casualties reported by the commanding general of the American Expeditionary Force. The casualties are as follows:  
Killed in action 32  
Died of wounds 28  
Died from accident and other causes 10  
Died in aeroplane accident 1  
Died of disease 46  
Missing in action 45  
Wounded severely 180  
Total 342

Marine corps casualties reported are as follows:  
Killed in action 2  
Died of wounds 3  
Died of disease 3  
Wounded (degree undetermined) 3  
Wounded slightly 4  
Missing in action 4  
Total 20

## UP TO THE SURGEON

Smithfield Physician Confident All Possible Will be Done for Son.

**SMITHFIELD, Jan. 24.**—The surgeon of the hospital that Lieutenant Morford Guiber is being treated for wounds received on the Argonne front, learning that Lieutenant Guiber's father was a doctor in the service in Camp Dix, wrote the doctor a letter recently, apprising him of his son's condition. The wound had become infected. The surgeons discovered and removed a fragment of shell that was the cause. Since this his condition improved. They had thought before making this discovery that the wound was a gunshot one.  
The wound is in the ankle. Dr. Guiber answered the surgeon and said he would trust to his judgment in the treatment of the case, but if he thought the wound would leave his son a cripple for life he desired that they amputate the member.

## Pittstown.

**PITTSVILLE, Jan. 24.**—Mrs. Merle Wilson of near Conneltsville, spent Monday here with her sister, Mrs. Roy Atkinson.

Mae Ebling of Stauffer was here over Sunday with friends.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Freed and daughter, Hattie, spent Sunday in Pennsylvania with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Freed and family.

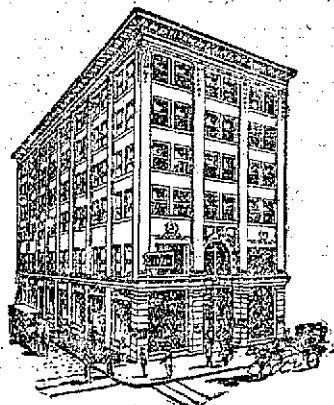
The many friends of Miss Flora Davis are sorry to learn that she is ill at her home here.

Miss Charlotte Milligan has enrolled as a student at the Mount Pleasant Institute.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mardis and children of Pennsylvania were here over Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mardis and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Ridenour.

John C. Milligan was a Conneltsville visitor Saturday.

George Atkinson is confined to his home with influenza.



## Every Aaron Advertisement Can Be Relied Upon

Because Aaron's advertising is truthful—the pictures shown in an Aaron advertisement are exact reproductions of the merchandise as it appears on our Floors. And the article is described just as it is—not as we may wish to make you believe it is.

Every advertised article remains on our Floors until our stock of same is exhausted—we don't advertise one thing and then when you come to our store tell you we're "sold out" and try to sell you something entirely different.

And when you make a selection of Furniture, Rugs, Carpets, Stoves or Homefurnishings at Aaron's you can be assured that delivery will be made to your Home of exactly the articles that you yourself selected.

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Oldest, Largest  
and most Re-  
liable Homefur-  
nishers.



Six Big Floors  
and Basement—  
comprising  
over an Acre of  
Floor Space.

## DAILY HEALTH TALKS

Better be Careful About Your Kidneys

BY N. B. COOK, M. D.

Foods taken into the stomach go through various chemical changes, and some of these changes are poisons that must be filtered out and disposed of. It is the duty of the kidneys to do this. When the kidneys do not fully perform their vital work, death may be only a few hours away. Happily, Nature has provided a warning alarm telling people when their kidneys are not well. These warnings come in the form of dragging pains in the small of the back, weak stomach, low spirits, chills, nausea, headache, scanty urine and frequent desire to pass it, short breath, numbness, cramps, coated tongue, bad breath, puffiness under the eyes, thin blood, dry skin, ringing in the ears, spots before the eyes and many other symptoms. All come from the one cause of kidneys that are not filtering the poisons out of the system. To overcome these troubles, Dr. Pierce's, of Buffalo, N. Y., compounded what he calls Anurio Tablets. No other kidney medicine is its equal in giving relief and re-establishing healthful work in the kidneys. The treatment is very simple, as you need nothing except water when taking Anurio Tablets—a glass of water with each tablet. This washes and flushes the kidneys while the medicine itself is dissolving the uric acid and driving the poisons out. Anurio Tablets are made double strength, so that they dissolve uric acid the same as hot water dissolves salt or sugar. Most people need Anurio Tablets because most people are out of your body for safety's sake, and better begin today.

To gently and agreeably coax the bowels back into normal activity, take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. They are just as good for constiveness as his Anurio Tablets are good for kidney disorders, and that is saying a great deal.

**Drink Habit Surrenders to TESCUM**

Tescum Powders for breaking up the drink habit; destroys all taste for whiskey, ale, beer, or other alcoholic stimulants, as thousands of wives and mothers can testify. It is a simple home treatment that can be given secretly and is sold under a special money-refunded guarantee by J. C. Moore and by all up-to-date druggists.

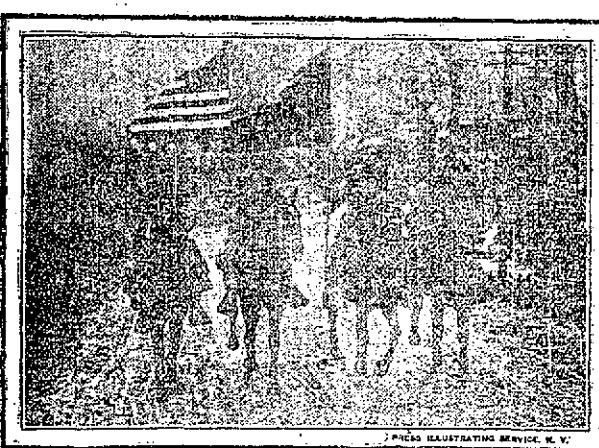
**Nature's Remedy**  
N-2 TABLETS—A  
Better than Pills—GET A  
For Liver Ills. 25c Box

A. A. Clarke, Conneltsville, Pa.



DIPPING THEIR COLORS IN THE RHINE

Describing the advance of the French Armies after the signing of the armistice, a French communication of November 20th, thus announced their arrival on the Rhine in Alsace: "On the left bank of the Rhine we occupy Neuf Brisach, Huningue, and St. Louis. Everywhere the joy of the inhabitants and their attachment to France were manifested." At Huningue, the troops of the 2nd Moroccan Division, commanded by General Modelon, celebrated the historic occasion by dipping their colors into the waters of the Rhine.



CARRYING OUR COLORS INTO GERMANY

The Fifth Field Artillery, America's First Division, marching through a town in Germany.

## WEAKNESS REMAINS LONG AFTER Influenza

Reports Show That Strength, Energy and Ambition Return Very Slowly to Grippe Patients.

After an attack of influenza, doctors advise that nature be assisted in its building-up process by the use of a good tonic—one that will not only put strength and endurance into the body, but will also help to build up and strengthen the run-down cells of the brain.

One of the most highly recommended remedies to put energy into both body and brain is Bio-fereen—your physician knows the formula—it is printed below.

There's iron in Bio-fereen—the kind of iron that makes red blood corpuscles and creates vigor. There is lecithin also; probably the best brain invigorator known to science. Then there is good old reliable gentian, that brings back your lagging appetite.

There are other ingredients that help to promote good health, as you can see by reading this formula, not forgetting kolo, that great agent that puts the power of endurance into weak people.

Taken altogether Bio-fereen is a splendid active tonic that will greatly help any weak, run-down person to regain normal strength, energy, ambition and endurance.

Bio-fereen is sold by all reliable druggists and is inexpensive. For weakness after influenza patients are advised to take two tablets after each meal and one at bed time—seven a day, until health, strength and vigor are fully restored.

It will not fail to help you and if for any reason you are dissatisfied with results your druggist is authorized to return your money upon request—without any red tape of any kind.

Note to physicians: There is no secret about the formula of Bio-fereen. It is printed on every package. Here it is: Lecithin, Calcium Glycero-phosphate, Iron Peptonate, Manganese, Peptonate, Ext. Nut. Yonkers, Potassa Gentiana, Theophylline, Olearia, Capicum, Kolo.

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It is true that  
a consistent  
daily use of  
**Grape-Nuts**  
(a most pleasant  
and nourishing  
cereal food) is  
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gest modern aids  
toward health  
and strength.

Grape-Nuts is natural-  
ly sweet and needs  
little or no sugar.





## ASSERTS RIGHT OF JURISDICTION OVER INTRA-STATE RATES

Public Service Commission Disputes Claim of Railroad Administration.

### COKE REGION RATE CASE

Furnishes Opportunity For Declaring Attitude of the State Regulatory Body; War Tariffs on Coal and Coke to Pittsburgh Steel Co. Too High.

In opinions handed down on Monday the State Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania holds that the director general of railroads is answerable to it in all controversies regarding intra-state railroad rates, and that it has the authority to set aside any purely intra-state railroad rate initiated by a railroad itself or initiated by the director general of railroads. The leading case—the one in which the commission states its position in detail and at considerable length—is that of the Pittsburgh Steel company versus the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad. In this case the commission holds:

"The director general is no party to these proceedings, although he initiated two of the rates complained against. So far as the order of this commission regulating transportation charges of railroad companies for intra-state business can be enforced against the companies, they can be enforced against the director general, who is now in charge and operating the roads for the owners."

While Public Service Commissions in other states have through their counsel argued in behalf of their jurisdiction over the director general of railroads, the Pennsylvania commission is the first one that has stated its position in a formal order.

The Pittsburgh Steel company case brings to light a number of facts that are of considerable importance for some time been forming "tagrant rate abuses," but concerning which they have said little owing to the fact that such rates were defended by the Railroad Administration on the theory that they were in some way necessary to the winning of the war.

Large quantities of coal are consumed by the Pittsburgh Steel company. A part of this coal is shipped from the Klondike or Lower Connellsville district to the company's plant at Monaca—distance of 20 miles. On its own initiative the railroad made a rate of 90 cents per net ton. This rate the director general of railroads increased to \$1.20 per net ton. The steel company also receives coal from mines that are located five miles from the plant. Some coal is received from mines only two miles from the plant. Previous to July 1, 1917, the steel company paid 10 cents a ton on coal shipments hauled a distance of seven miles or less. July 1, the railroad canceled the 10-cent rate, charging 23 cents per net ton on hauls of seven miles or less. In June, 1918, the director general canceled the 23-cent rates, increasing it to 40 cents a ton.

The steel company filed a complaint before the commission asking that the \$1.20 rate be decreased to 50 cents per net ton and that the 40-cent rate be decreased to 18 cents per ton.

In answer to the complaint filed the railroad contended that the rates are charged in accordance with the orders of the director general of railroads and moved that the complaint be dismissed on the ground that the Public Service Commission of this state is without jurisdiction during the period of Federal control.

The commission overrules the motion to dismiss the complaint and orders that further hearings be conducted.

In summing up its position the commission says:

"The director general and his subordinates are operating the railroads in the place of the corporate officers, and are subject to the same provisions of law, except for military necessities, and where the act provides other regulations and procedure; that the purpose of the act is to leave in the hands of the state and the agencies created by the state all the power and authority over intra-state railroad operations they possessed before its passage, except those

## BANG! DOWN WENT MANY POUNDS WEIGHT!



"My weight fell off from 131 pounds to 109," said Mrs. A. Angerer, 444 Spangmoor avenue, Merion, Pa. "I felt sure I was going into consumption; all my friends were convinced the same way; none of my food did me a bit of good, just caused trouble, gas, pain. I had stomach trouble, gastritis and nervous indigestion. I was a shadow of my former self. Now? Well, I feel just grand! Put that down strong. Tanlac did it! I read what it did for others and tried it. I can't speak too well of it. Tanlac brought my weight back to 131 pounds! I sleep well, eat heartily and feel great. I am glad to tell this true story. All my friends know the truth about it!"

The genuine Tanlac, which bears the name J. I. Gore Co., on outside carton, is now sold here by Belgley's Pharmacy, Connellsville Drug Co., Fred H. Harmoning, C. Roy Hetzel and other leading druggists. Tanlac, the celebrated vegetable tonic, stomachic and health builder, is also sold in neighboring cities and towns. Ask for it!

affecting transportation of troops, munitions and supplies and the issuance of stocks and bonds. Now it cannot be said that the lowering of freight rates on coke from the Klondike district to Monaca and on coal within a radius of seven miles to Monaca would affect the transportation of troops, war materials or supplies," or as a matter of fact and without demonstrating the fact, that it would affect the issuance of stock and bonds.

In the case of the New Jersey Zinc company versus the Central Railroad of New Jersey, the commission takes occasion to inform the railroads and the director general that the war is over. The director general is also reminded that obedience to law is a "requirement from officials as well as from the people." The commission says:

"The great war, necessitating the calling into being the extraordinary powers of our government, is practically over, and the return to the normal conditions of regulated authority under the well defined limitations of the national and state constitutions will be welcomed by all good citizens. We believe that the judgment of this commission in this and similar cases where the same result must in effect be reached will be acquiesced in upon reflection, by the Federal authorities, for obedience to law is a requirement from officials as well as from people."

The view of the Public Service Commission is widely at variance with the view held by former Director General of Railroads, McAdoo. In an authorized statement issued just before his departure from Washington for Southern California, Mr. McAdoo said: "Director General McAdoo, when his attention was called to the fact that several states have begun litigation drawing in question the validity of rates initiated by him under the Federal Control Act so far as they apply to intra-state traffic, said he regretted that the issue should be raised and a contest precipitated between state and Federal authority, but that he was acting under the law of Congress as the President's representative and could not subject himself, in that capacity, to the jurisdiction of courts or commissions beyond the provisions of the law."

"Considering the purpose for which the statute was enacted, and the extent to which it would be defeated by a division of authority, as well as the terms of the statute itself, there can be no question, in his opinion, but that during the period of Federal control, rates may be initiated to apply to both interstate and intrastate business, and that complaints of such rates are exclusively within the jurisdiction of the Interstate Commerce Commission, which can be relied upon to do justice to all interests."

"Any other construction of the statute might have been fatal to the prosecution of the war, and would result in creating an indefensible discrimination between interstate transportation charges and state charges, and serious curtailment of the revenue which the Railroad Administration must have in order to perform the duties placed upon it by Congress."

"He pointed to the fact that the correctness of this position seems to be conceded in many of the states where no question is made as to the power vested in the President to initiate rates applicable to intrastate business and as to those rates being beyond the jurisdiction of the state authorities."

"He expressed the hope that the states which have brought suits based upon the opposing contention may for the present at least hold them in abeyance. If such suits are pressed, he said, the government, although it desires to give the most respectful consideration to the views of the state authorities, has no alternative except to proceed upon the theory that the action of the President's representative in establishing rates is not within the jurisdiction of either state commissions or courts, and that orders prescribing rates instead of those which have been initiated, and injunctions forbidding the application of the initiated rates to state shipments cannot be observed as to railroads under Federal control."

"If the government is compelled to engage in a legal contest, no other



Saturday Special! Regular up to \$2.95

Women's

Waists

\$1.19

Fashioned of Vellin, Or-gandy and Batiste in plain white and color combinations, also black Silks included at \$1.19.



United Profit-Sharing Coupons

with all purchases mean an additional saving of 5 per cent on what you spend at "The Big Store."

**KOBACKER'S**  
"THE BIG STORE"  
ON PITTSBURGH ST.

Saturday Special!

Featuring

New Spring

Hats

\$4.95

Smart styles just in from New York—Tricornes, Coronet and close fitting Turbans of Georgette and Straw, Sain and Straw and rough Straw braids.



By Far Connellsville's Greatest Event—Our

# January Clearance Sale!

The Public Response to This Clearance Sale Has Been Whole-Hearted

But this is only as it should be for we determined to make this the greatest Clearance Sale in our history. One thing is certain, we are giving people values that are values. Genuine saving on merchandise of the best sort, not old passe goods, but fresh new stocks that are of only the highest quality. For tomorrow we have arranged special Clearance attractions throughout the store. COME!



You Cannot Afford to Miss This

Sensational Sale of

FURS! FURS!

Clearance is the watchword right now—and we are certainly sacrificing prices to effect a quick disposal of our immense Fur stocks.

\$30, \$35 and \$40 SCARFS

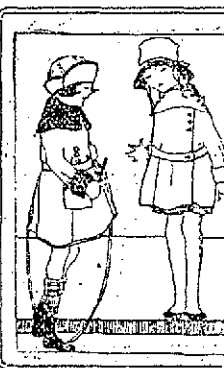
Lot of such fashionable Furs as Little Fox, Tame Fox, Point Fox, Nutria and Hudson Seal.

\$19.75

Also Muffs in the Assortment at \$19.75.

Separate Muffs and Sets, value to \$35.50, at \$10.00

Separate Scarfs and Muffs, value to \$35.00, at \$5.00



Extraordinary Saving on Children's Apparel! Come Tomorrow and Save.

Our Entire Stock of Children's Coats

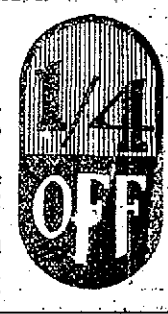
With three months of cold weather still ahead thrifty mothers will hurry to take advantage of these Coat values.

School Girl's Silk and Serge Dresses

at 1/4 Off

Children's up to 4.00 Trimmed Hats

at 95c



Women's Misses' and Juniors'

**COATS**

Values up to \$29.75 at

12 1/2



Think of it! High grade warm Winter Coats for only \$12.75, a price that really does not cover the cost of the materials alone.

Stylish Stout Coats One-Fourth Off

**COATS**

Latest Styles

Just 14 in the lot—it will pay you to come early for they won't last long.



**SUITS**

Formerly Priced \$39.50 to \$50.00

The season's most sensational reductions, offering choice of finest hand-tailored Suits in the season's most successful models. Plenty of navys and blacks to select from at \$24.50.

Saturday We Will Sell 64 Stylish Stout Suits at One Half Off

24 1/2

## Great Corset Sale

All broken lines of well known makes sacrificed for quick Clearance. Hundreds of pairs finest Corsets to be sold at less than today's market value.

Three Lots at Three Low Prices

\$1.00 Value \$2.25 Value \$3.00 Value

Medium bust model of white Coutil, all sizes 18 to 30. Reduced to 69c

Pink or white Coutil, elastic top models, all sizes, Reduced to \$1.29

R. & G. Nemo and W. B. makes, in plain white or pink brocade, Reduced to \$1.95



## WOMAN SO ILL COULD NOT WALK

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her to Health.

Perth Amboy, N.J. — "For three years I suffered with a severe female trouble, was nervous, had backache and a pain in my side most of the time. I had dizzy spells and was often so faint I could not walk across the floor. The doctor said I would have to have an operation. I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in my newspaper, and tried it. Now I am better, feel strong, have no pains, backache or dizzy spells. Ever since I tell you how well I look, and I tell you to use Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—that is what makes me feel well and look well. I recommended it to my sister and she is using it now. You can use this letter if you wish, for it is certainly a grand remedy for a woman's ills. — Mrs. MARTHA STANISLAWSKI, 224 Penn St., Perth Amboy, N.J."



**MEN!** Here's your opportunity to stock up.

50 dozen Crisp New Shirts

95c

Quality Shirts, well made, big selection to pick from, laundered and soft cuffs, all sizes 14 to 17.



Men's up to \$2.50 Dress Shirts — \$1.35 Men's \$1.25 Ribbed Shirts, and Drawers — 85c Men's regular \$1.50 Work Shirts — 98c

**DRESSES**

Formerly Priced up to \$25 at

Exceeding every previous assortment in variety and value. Select from smart Taffetas and Messalines, fine Serges and Georgette combinations. Good range of colors. Sizes for women and misses.

New Spring Dresses Arriving Daily.

No Need to Pay War Prices Now BUY YOUR SHOES HERE And Get the Most For Your Money.

Children's up to \$2.50 Patent and Gun Metal leather

Shoes \$1.49

Boys' up to \$4.95 strong, well made.

Shoes \$2.95

Women's up to \$8.00 black and novelty

Shoes \$4.95

These Clearance Prices Mean Genuine

**ECONOMY**

Children's regular \$1.25	79c
Union Suits now	79c
Women's up to \$1.50	79c
Union Suits now	98c
Women's \$1.50 to \$2.00	98c
Union Suits now	44c
Children's up to 85c	44c
Vests and Pants	44c
Boys' 50c heavy ribbed Hose, at	17c
Women's 25c Black Cotton Hose, pair	59c
Women's 55c Wool Hose, pair	29c
Children's 35c white or black Hose at	25c
"Bates" 45c Dress Gingham, special per yd.	21c
"Lancaster" 35c Apron Gingham, yd.	19c
36 inch Brown Sheet, 20c value	

**PNEUMONIA**

First, call a physician. Immediately commence the "emergency" treatment.

Your Doctor's VICK'S VAPORUB

NEW PRICES—30c, 60c, \$1.20

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1,200 Reserve Engines. Twelve hundred of the 61,000 locomotives in good working order on government controlled railroads are being held in reserve for emergency use during possible winter storms.

Hunting Bacteria! If so, read our advertising columns.

Try Our Classified Ads. One cent a word is all they cost.

**AVOID COUGHS and COUGHERS!**

Coughing Spreads Disease

**SHILOH** 30 DROPS STOP COUGHS







# Your Attention Please! News Extraordinary at the Central Store, Connellsville's Bargain Center

## INSURANCE CO. EXPLOSION ADJUSTMENT SALE

**of The Krieger Cloak and Suit Company**  
 800-802 Penn Avenue, Pittsburg, Pa., Manufacturers and Designers of Distinctive  
**GARMENTS FOR LADIES and MISSES**

The above concern was located in the same building where the disastrous fire and explosion occurred. Thousands of garments were at the time in the house, but neither their appearance nor their service was impaired by the smoke, only the adjustment of the above concern with the Insurance Company made it possible for us to secure a generous assortment of

**Women's and Misses' Winter and Spring Apparel at from 40c to 50c on the Dollar**

SALE STARTS SATURDAY, JANUARY 25TH AT 8.30 A. M. SEE WINDOW DISPLAY.

CONNELLSVILLE'S BARGAIN CENTER  
**THE CENTRAL STORE**  
 NEXT DOOR TO WOOLWORTH'S  
 115 W. MAIN ST.

NO EXCHANGES, NO REFUNDS ON ANY OF THESE GOODS. ALL PURCHASES FINAL.

One of the real sensational Bargain Events held in Connellsville for years. Don't permit anything to stand in the way of your taking advantage of this opportunity.

Actual up to \$22.50  
**Women's and Misses' Suits \$10**

Fine assortment of Fall, Winter and Spring Suits in most all sizes, best shades—either light or dark. The price would scarcely pay for the materials alone.

Actual up to \$12.90  
**Women's and Misses' Dresses \$7.89**

Silk or Serge Dresses contrasting collar and cuffs, Georgette sleeves—some cleverly draped or in straight line effects. Big selection of colors and trimmings.

Actual up to \$25.00  
**Women's and Misses' Coats \$12.75**

Velour Kersey novelty materials, mixtures, etc. in green, navy, burgundy and other shades—lined and interlined. The season's newest models.

Actual up to \$6.75  
**Women's and Misses' Skirts \$4.49**

Silks, Taffetas, Wool, Poplins and Serges, plain shades also in the newest plaids and stripes attractively trimmed pockets and belts.

Actual up to \$10  
**Misses' and Children's Coats \$5.90**

All the most wanted shades in Winter Coats of Cloth and Plush. Everyone this season's best style. Mothers should be quick to take advantage of this offer.

Actual up to \$5.50  
**Women's and Misses' Waists \$3.98**

Fine quality Georgette Waists beaded, embroidered, tucked, hemstitched and lace trimmed models, with or without collars. Colors to suit everybody's taste.

Actual up to \$19.75  
**Women's and Misses' Dresses \$10.00**

Only by reason of such occasion are we able to offer such sensational values. Satins, Taffetas, Poplins, Serges, Serge and Satin Combinations, etc. etc.

Actual up to \$27.50  
**Women's and Misses' Suits \$13.75**

Wonderful Suits even at the regular price suitable for present and Spring wear. Made of Broadcloths, Gabardines, Poplins and high grade Serges. All shades.

Actual up to \$12.90  
**Women's and Misses' Coats \$5.90**

A special lot of good Winter Coats in Cloth, Zibeline and other materials. Not all sizes in this lot—mostly large sizes. A number of Spring Coats included in this assortment.

Actual up to \$10  
**Women's and Misses' Dresses \$5.75**

Made of high grade Silk Poplin Silks also a limited number of Serge Dresses in black, navy, burgundy, green and many other wanted shades.

Actual up to \$4.50  
**Women's and Misses' Waists \$2.98**

Extraordinary big assortment of fine quality Crepe de Chine, striped and plaid Taffetas and Silks. Also plain black made in the best and newest style of the season.

Actual up to \$10  
**Women's and Misses' Skirts \$6.90**

The limit of value-giving, made of Silk Faille, Satins, Fancy Plaids and Novelties, in the attractive styles. A Skirt Bargain that no one should miss.



IN THE JANUARY

**CLEARANCE**

<b>Bleached Muslin</b> Fine quality—white it lasts per yard <b>19½c</b>	<b>Union Suits</b> Men's fleeced or ribbed <b>\$1.98</b>	<b>Bleached Sheets</b> Size 72x90 while they last <b>\$1.19</b>
<b>Union Suits</b> Women's winter weight, regular \$1.25 value <b>87c</b>	<b>Bungalow Aprons</b> Best quality Percale, at <b>\$1.19</b>	<b>Children's Union Suits</b> All sizes 50c values <b>69c</b>

Extra Salespeople have been engaged to wait on you promptly. Fare paid to out-of-town customers with any purchase of \$15.00 or over.

IN THE JANUARY

**CLEARANCE**

<b>Outing Flannel</b> Amoskeag brand, stripes, checks or plain white yard <b>25c</b>	<b>Wool Hose</b> Men's heavy weight, pair <b>39c</b>	<b>Fine Shirting</b> Regular 35c quality yard <b>29c</b>
<b>Unbleached Sheeting</b> Regular 25c quality, yard <b>19½c</b>	<b>Apron Gingham</b> Well known makes, yard <b>19½c</b>	<b>Bleached Muslin</b> Regular 25c quality, yard <b>19½c</b>

## CITIZENS TAKE HOLD OF PLANS FOR A MEMORIAL

Movement at Mount Pleasant  
Passes From Hands of  
Connell.

### BURGESS IS MADE HEAD

Other Officers Are Elected and Com-  
mittee of 15 Will Be Appointed to  
Work in Connection With them;  
Form of Memorial Yet to Be Decided.

Special to The Courier.  
MOUNT PLEASANT, Jan. 24.—The  
movement for a memorial to the boys  
of the town in the war has now be-  
come a community affair. At a mass  
meeting last night at the armory the  
matter formally passed from the  
hands of council to a committee named  
by the citizens' meeting.  
Burgess S. P. Stevens was elected  
chairman; William Racusin, secre-  
tary, and C. E. Zimmerman, treasur-  
er. The following committee was ap-  
pointed to work in conjunction with  
the officers in appointing a commit-  
tee of 15 in getting the movement  
started: A. T. Collins, James S. Brad-  
dock and Rev. Barter, pastor of the  
Reformed church.  
This committee will meet on next  
Monday evening.  
Nothing was done as to the form of  
memorial to be erected. This will be  
determined at the next community  
meeting which will probably be called  
soon after the committee of 15 is  
named.  
About 150 persons attended the  
meeting at the armory. Burgess Stev-  
ens presided.

Home From France.  
John Getsalovsky of Parfittown, who  
left with Company E, 110th Infantry  
and was gassed, is home on a fur-  
lough.

### REPORTS INCREDIBLE

But Now that Private Lamperti Has  
Seen Hun's Work He Believes.  
His joy that the war is over is ex-  
pressed by Private John Lamperti,  
with the ambulance service in France.  
In a letter to his aunt, Mrs. Louis  
Costa, of Dickerson Run, in part,  
Private Lamperti says:

"Dear Aunt:  
After a long silence I am ready  
now to let you know I am still living  
and in perfect health. The war is  
over now and I am very glad. I hope  
everybody feels the same. We're  
crushed the copperhead.

"When I was in America and read  
the newspapers I could not believe  
there were such criminals. Now I  
have myself seen the poor victims and  
I have learned first hand of the atroci-  
ties.

"I am at Longwy, five kilometers  
from the Belgium frontier. We will  
soon reach Luxembourg. I hope soon  
to be back on Uncle Sam's soil again  
and long for the day when I can see  
the Statue of Liberty. That will be  
the best and most blessed day in my  
life. Only seven months have I been  
here but it seems like seven years. I  
have had to work very hard, often  
walking over 30 kilometers a day with  
a pack on my shoulders and in all  
kinds of weather, sleeping on the  
ground and in water at times, without  
much to eat, but we are ready and wil-  
ling to sacrifice our lives for the cause  
of liberty.

"I will ring off this time hoping very  
soon to see you again and then I can  
explain more fully to you about the  
life on this side."

Mrs. Costa has four nephews in the  
service.

### Dawson.

DAWSON, Jan. 24.—Edward Brown  
of Conduff visited his brother, A. C.  
Brown of Bridge street, Wednesday.  
Mrs. Grace McDermott of McKees-  
port is visiting her parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. Frank Stillwagon.

Mrs. Theresa Gracinger spent  
Wednesday with her daughter, Mrs.  
William Ambrose at Mount Braddock.  
Mrs. Anna Sherbondy and Mrs. Da-  
vid Scourfield were recent Connells-  
ville visitors.

James McShan was a business caller  
at Edinburg Wednesday.  
Frank A. Tarr is looking after some  
business matters at Fairmont, Va.

Mrs. Potter and Mrs. Martin Hagen  
of the West Side spent Wednesday at  
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles  
Cool, North Dawson.

James Laughrey of Brownsville  
spent Monday with his family in North  
Dawson.

Nelson Scourfield, who had his leg  
broken in a basketball game at Leta-  
center a few weeks ago, is able to be  
around again, with the aid of crutches.

## MUSTEROLE—QUICK RELIEF! NO BLISTER!

It Soothes and Relieves Like a  
Mustard Plaster Without  
the Burn or Sting

Musterole is a clean, white ointment,  
made with the oil of mustard. It does all  
the work of the old-fashioned mustard  
plaster—does it better and does not blister.  
You do not have to bother with a  
cloth. You simply rub it on—and usually  
the pain is gone!  
Many doctors and nurses use Musterole  
and recommend it to their patients.  
They will gladly tell you what relief it  
gives from sore throat, bronchitis, croup,  
stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, congestion  
of the sinuses, rheumatism, sprains,  
aches and pains of the back or joints, sprains,  
sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frozen  
feet, colds of the chest (it often pre-  
vents pneumonia).  
30c and 60c jars; hospital size \$2.50.



# REMODELING SALE

In order to remodel the interior of our present store at 166 West Crawford Avenue, we must reduce our big stock of merchandise in order to carry on all the work we propose to do. Contracts have already been let and work will commence just as soon as we can reduce our stocks to make the necessary room.

## Sale Starts Saturday, January 25th at 9:30 A. M. Continues for 10 Days

No regard for the price we paid for the goods will be taken into consideration for these few days. We need the room and in order to carry out our plans we will be money ahead by getting rid of our stock regardless of the loss to us. Come early and pick out some of the wonderful bargains that are waiting for you. No sale ever held hereabouts with so many good things to offer at prices we used to pay before the war.

### For Men and Boys

Men's Jersey Sweaters, dark blue and grey, regular price \$1.75, Sale Price **89c**  
Men's Sweaters in grey and brown, regular price \$2.00, Sale Price **\$1.19**  
Men's Wool Sweaters, red and khaki, regular price \$3.50, Sale Price **\$1.98**  
Men's heavy Jersey Shirts, black, regular price \$2.50, Sale Price **\$1.29**  
Men's Flannel Shirts, regular price \$1.50, Sale Price **98c**  
Men's good Flannel Shirts, all colors, regular price \$3.25, Sale Price **\$1.39**  
Men's heavy Khaki Pants, regular price \$3.00, Sale Price **\$2.48**  
One lot Men's Every-day, Pants, black, blue and grey, regular price \$3.00, Sale Price **\$1.98**  
One lot Men's Dress Pants, regular price \$4.00, Sale Price **\$2.48**  
One lot Men's Dress Cashmere Pants, all wool, regular price \$5.50, Sale Price **\$3.48**

### Special!

Men's Dress Hose, regular price 25c, Sale Price **15c**

### Special!

Men's Canvas Gloves, wrist length, or with cuff, regular price 25c, Sale Price **10c**

### Special!

Men's Canvas Gloves, leather palm, regular price 50c, Sale Price **39c**

### Special!

Boys' Knee Pants, regular price \$1.00, Sale Price **69c**

### Special!

Boys' Hockey Caps, all colors, regular price 75c, Sale Price **48c**

### Special!

Men's Dress Hats, soft and stiff, latest style, regular price \$3.50 and \$4.00, Sale Price **\$1.39**

### Special!

Men's Wool Mixture Underwear, regular price \$1.50 per garment, Sale Price **98c**

### Special!

Men's Fleece Lined and Ribbed Underwear, regular price \$1.25 per garment, Sale Price **89c**

### Special!

Men's Fleece Lined and Ribbed Union Suits, regular price \$2.25, Sale Price **\$1.79**

### Special!

Boys' Union Suits, fleece lined and ribbed, regular price \$1.25, Sale Price **75c**

### Special!

Men's Dress Shirts, regular price \$1.50, Sale Price **89c**

### Special!

Boys' Suits, good quality, size 14 to 18, regular price \$8 and \$9, Sale Price **\$4.48**

### For Women and Children.

One lot Children's Coats, regular price \$5.50, Sale Price **\$2.98**  
One lot Girls' Lambskin, Corduroy and Cloth Coats, sizes 9 to 14, regular price \$12 to \$14, Sale Price **\$5.48**  
One lot Girls' Plush and Cloth Coats, fur trimmed, sizes 10 to 14, regular price \$15 to \$17, Sale Price **\$8.48**  
One lot Ladies' neatly trimmed Kersey Coats, regular price from \$20 to \$25, Sale Price **\$9.98**  
One lot Ladies' Cloth and Velour Coats, all shades and newest styles, regular price from \$25 to \$30, Sale Price **\$10.98**  
One lot Ladies' Plush Coats, fur trimmed, regular price from \$22 to \$25, Sale Price **\$10.98**  
One lot Ladies' best quality Plush Coats, fur trimmed, regular price from \$40 to \$55, Sale Price **\$23.50**  
One lot Ladies' Suits, in poplin and serge, colors blue and black, regular price from \$20 to \$25, Sale Price **\$9.98**  
One lot Ladies' newest style Suits, in Serge and Poplin, colors blue and black, regular price from \$28 to \$35, Sale Price **\$14.98**  
One lot Ladies' Silk Poplin Dresses, all colors, nicely trimmed, regular price from \$10 to \$12, Sale Price **\$4.98**  
One lot Ladies' Messaline and Taffeta Dresses, all colors and newest styles, regular price \$18, Sale Price **\$7.98**  
One lot Ladies' Taffeta and Messaline Dresses, newest shades and styles, regular price \$22.50, Sale Price **\$9.98**  
One lot Ladies' all wool Serge Skirts, neatly made of the best material, regular price \$6.98, Sale Price **\$4.89**  
One lot Ladies' all-wool Serge Skirts, in blue and black, regular price \$5.98, Sale Price **\$3.48**  
Girls' White Poplin Middies, regular price \$1.98, Sale Price **98c**  
One lot Ladies' Percelle House Dresses, in neat blue and grey patterns, regular price \$2.75, Sale Price **\$1.89**  
One lot Ladies' Blue and Grey Wrappers, made of the best percale, regular price \$2.50, Sale Price **\$1.48**  
Children's Flannelette Gowns, all sizes, regular price \$1.25, Sale Price **75c**  
Ladies' Fleece Ribbed Drawers, fine quality, regular price \$1.00, Sale Price **69c**  
Ladies' Fleece ribbed Union Suits, best quality, regular price \$2.25, Sale Price **\$1.48**  
Ladies' Georgette Waists, pretty styles, regular price \$6.48, Sale Price **\$3.98**  
Children's Dresses, made of the best Gingham and Chambray, very neat styles, regular price \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$2.75, Sale Price **\$1.69**

### Extra Special Shoe Values

First lot—Men's Elk Working Shoes, regular price \$3.25, Sale Price **\$1.98**  
Second lot—Men's Elk Shoes, Endicott-Johnson make, regular price \$4.00, Sale Price **\$2.69**  
One lot—Men's Heavy Working Shoes, Endicott-Johnson make, regular price \$4.25, Sale Price **\$2.69**  
Second lot—Men's Heavy Working Shoes, regular price \$5.00, Sale Price **\$3.69**  
One lot Men's Chocolate Dress Shoes, in lace and button, English style, regular price \$5.50, Sale Price **\$3.69**  
Men's Black Dress Shoes, regular price \$5.50, Sale Price **\$3.79**  
Boys' Black Dress Shoes, lace and button, sizes 2 1/2 to 6, regular price \$4.00, Sale Price **\$2.69**  
Boys' Black and Tan English Shoes, sizes 1 to 2, regular price \$3.75, Sale Price **\$2.69**  
Boys' Black Dress Shoes, sizes 11 1/2 to 2, button and Blucher style, regular price \$3.00, Sale Price **\$1.98**  
One lot Men's Overalls and Coats, Union Made and heavy weight, regular price \$2.50, Sale Price **\$1.69**  
One lot Men's Overalls and Coats, Union Made, heavy weight, regular price \$2.75, Sale Price **\$1.89**  
Men's Black Dress Shoes, in lace and button, regular price \$4.00, Sale Price **\$2.39**  
One lot Ladies' Button Shoes, regular price \$3.50 and \$4.00, Sale Price **\$1.98**  
Ladies' Brown Shoes, cloth top, English style, regular price \$5.50, Sale Price **\$3.79**  
Ladies' Dark Brown Shoes, all leather, English style, regular price \$6.50 and \$7.00, Sale Price **\$4.69**  
Girls' Black Shoes, button and lace, size 11 to 2, regular price \$2.50 and \$3.00, Sale Price **\$1.69**  
Girls' Patent Leather Shoes, size 8 to 11 1/2, regular price \$2.50, Sale Price **\$1.69**  
Girls' Patent Leather Shoes, sizes 11 1/2 to 2, regular price \$3.25, Sale Price **\$1.89**

### For Men and Boys

Boys' Overcoats, size 14 to 16, all colors, regular price \$12, Sale Price **\$4.98**  
One lot Men's Suits, in blue and mixtures, regular price \$10 to \$15, Sale Price **\$6.98**  
Second lot Men's Suits, regular price \$18 to \$22, Sale Price **\$12.98**  
Third lot—Men's Serge and Worsted Suits, finest quality and good make, regular price \$25 and \$30, Sale Price **\$18.98**  
Fourth lot—Men's Blue Serg, Worsted and Cashmere Suits, of finest quality, regular price \$25 and \$28, Sale Price **\$14.98**  
One lot Men's Overcoats, black and brown, latest styles, regular price \$18 and \$20, Sale Price **\$9.98**  
One lot Men's Overcoats, black and mixtures, regular price \$18, Sale Price **\$6.98**  
One lot Men's Mackinaws, regular price \$8.50, Sale Price **\$5.48**  
Second lot—Men's Mackinaws, all colors, heavy weight, regular price \$10.50 and \$11.50, Sale Price **\$6.98**

**Special!**  
Table Oilcloth, all patterns, regular price 50c per yard, Sale Price **29c**

**Special!**  
Children's Black Ribbed Hose, regular price 18c, Sale Price **10c**

**Special!**  
Ladies' black, white and tan Hose, regular price 30c, Sale Price **15c**

**Special!**  
Ladies' Fancy Silk Hose, regular price \$1.00, Sale Price **48c**

**Special!**  
Ladies' White Voile and Lawn Waists, pretty patterns, regular price \$1.98, Sale Price **75c**

**Special!**  
Children's Ribbed Union Suits, regular price 75c, Sale Price **39c**

**Special!**  
Ladies' Flannelette Dressing Sacques, in neat grey patterns, regular price \$1.50, Sale Price **98c**

**Special!**  
One lot Ladies' Raincoats, color, black and white, silk finish, regular price \$5.00 to \$8.00, Sale Price **\$1.98**

**Special!**  
Ladies and Children's Hats for sale at One Half Regular Price.

**Special!**  
Ladies' and Children's Sweaters, all colors and styles, One Third Off Regular Price.

**Special!**  
Ladies' and Children's Fur Sets, One Half Off Regular Price.

# ECONOMY DEPT. STORE

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166 W. Crawford Ave.

Connellsville, Penna.

### Pechin.

PECHIN, Jan. 23.—Mrs. Ellen Smith of Keffers and Mrs. W. J. Hardy of the furnace were of Mt. Braddock yesterday, condoling with Mrs. Samuel Hardy, whose husband was a victim of the W. J. Rainer mine accident at that place Monday and will be buried today. Mrs. Smiley is the mother of Mrs. Samuel Hardy, and Mrs. W. J. Hardy is her sister-in-law.  
Emil Groschen, of Dunbar, Orville Barnes of the furnace and Ben. F. Keffers of Keffers, all students at Dunbar township high school, took a bike last Saturday to Elk Rock about

seven miles in the mountains. They scaled the famous rock composed of the very highest quality of glass sand so soft that the sand can be scraped off with the finger nails, explored the surrounding country searching for Indian relics of which they found a few, cooked their dinner in the woods, gathered tea berries, explored several ruins, remains of a greater past the region enjoyed, stopped at Sandy Plains school house, a deserted seat of learning in which Miss Sara Ruben of Connellsville began her career as a teacher and later became one of the most efficient in the township's big corps, and arrived home in the even-

ing so tired that they went to sleep without rocking and dreamed about greater exploits they expect to accomplish during the more genial days of the coming spring.  
Mrs. Sarah J. Holland who had been visiting her brother A. K. McDowell at Uniontown until his decease, has returned to her home at Ferguson.  
Mrs. Mary Blacka and Miss Anna Blacka of Ferguson were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kelly of Pechin last Sunday. Mrs. Kelly is a daughter of the late W. D. Blacka.  
J. B. Stoner is able to be about his duties as tax collector again after be-

ing confined to his home at Keffers for several days with a severe cold.  
Jesse Piper, who is home from Camp Lee, was visiting his brother Joseph of Keffers this week.  
Mrs. Ray Holsing who has been ill for a week, is able to be about again.  
Mrs. J. L. Keffers was visiting her sister, Mrs. B. A. Bryan of Uniontown yesterday.  
Edward Senor of Scottdale spent Sunday with his father, J. B. Senor of Keffers.  
Miss Grace McClain and brother Clarence of Uniontown were visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Frauts of Keffers, over Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Cole and daughter Miss Daisy and grandson Joseph of Keffers are slowly recovering from a severe cold after having been confined to the house for a week.  
Some badly needed repairs have been made on the Ferguson road by Township Supervisor Charles V. Hardy.  
Thomas Bates is home from the training camp. While he does not dislike the service at Uncle Sam, he is glad to be back with his family and among his appreciated friends.

Hunting Bargains?  
You will find them in our ad columns.

## WEAR Horner's Clothing

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"I had been troubled for a long time with chronic constipation and never found anything that gave me the natural relief that Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin has." (From a letter to Dr. Caldwell written by Mr. I. Rosenthal, 6 W. 28th St., New York, N. Y.)

Nearly every disease can be traced to constipation. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is a combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin that quickly relieves constipation and restores normal activity. It is gentle in its action and does not gripe.

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A TRIAL BOTTLE CAN BE OBTAINED FREE OF CHARGE, BY WRITING TO DR. W. B. CALDWELL, 459 WASHINGTON STREET, MONTICELLO, ILLINOIS

Velvet Gowns, Simple and Superb



Velvet, a little satin, some notches and a superb gift for designing and perfect taste, combined to make the beautiful, and apparently simple afternoon gown which compels our admiration here. It may not be anything like as simple as it looks, there are subtle means for arriving at such beauty of line and adjustment, but they are the technique of the artist and go unnoticed, except by the practiced eyes of other artists. This is the sort of dress that would please the painter of women in any generation, and it will delight the lady of today. It is a portrayal of the mode at its best and no one could ask for a better draping of the human form divine.

Dark brown velvet with considerable luster was chosen for this frock. In the cut of the neck and the shape of the sleeves in the hang of the skirt and its decoration and length, are to be noted touches that reveal how artfully the latest style features have been utilized by the designer. The skirt reaches almost to the instep and narrows a little toward the bottom. Its rather deep yoke is braided in checkerboard pattern with soutache.

The hat worn with the gown as pictured is of brown velvet with a brim facing of dull gold brocade and a small feather ornament at one side. It corresponds with the dress, is simple, rich, and graceful, with the irregular brim and softly draped crown that have made the season's millinery so successful.

*Julius Sternberg*

**NOSE CLOGGED FROM A COLD OR CATARRH**  
Apply Cream in Nostrils To Open Up Air Passages.

Ah! What relief! Your clogged nostrils open right up the air passages of your head are clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, mucous discharge, headache, dizziness—no struggling for breath at night, your cold or catarrh is gone. Don't stay stuffed up! Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant antiseptic cream in your nostrils; let it penetrate through every air passage of the head, soothe and heal the swollen inflamed mucous membrane giving you instant relief. Ely's Cream Balm is just what every cold and catarrh sufferer has been seeking. It's just splendid—Ad.

A STRONG BANK.

A Strong Bank is like a stool with four legs—resources, management, service and supervision. The Citizens National Bank has all these elements of a strong bank, large resources, strong management, unexcelled service and U. S. Government supervision. This strong bank opens its service to every man, woman and child in Connellsville and vicinity through its banking, savings and safe deposit departments. This strong bank is at 138 N. Pittsburg Street. -Adv.

For Sale.  
Ladies' hats, \$3.00 up to \$10—your choice in the house \$1.75. The Peoples Department Store—Adv-24-14.

Men's extra heavy fleeced lined or ribbed Union Suits, sizes 34 to 46, white or cream color, value \$2.25. Must go at

**\$1.49**

75c Men's Heavy Wool Sox, light and dark colors, all sizes. Must go at per pair

**39c**

\$1.50 Men's extra heavy fleeced lined Shirts and Drawers, all sizes. Must go at per garment

**89c**

\$2.25 Men's Flannel Shirts, sizes 14 to 17, grey and tan. Must go at

**\$1.39**

\$2.25 and \$2.50 Boys' Sweater Coats, all sizes, grey and blue. Must go at

**98c**

\$3.50 and \$4.00 Men's Sweater Coats, all sizes and colors. Must go at

**\$1.69**

Up to \$2.50 Dress Shirts, all sizes, 14 to 17½, beautiful patterns. Must go at

**98c**

Boys' heavy fleeced lined Union Suits, all sizes 20 to 34. \$1.75 and \$2.00 values. Must go at

**98c**

\$1.25 and \$1.50 Men's Blue Work Shirts, all sizes. Must go at

**64c**

35c Percales and Calicos, light and dark patterns. Must go at per yard

**19c**

Up to \$3.50 Men's Hats, all sizes and styles. Must go at

**98c**

35c Bleached or Unbleached Muslin—almost 10,000 yards in stock. Must go at per yard

**19c**

Ladies' extra heavy ribbed Shirts or Drawers, regular \$1.00 value, all sizes. Must go at

**49c**

35c Lancaster Apron Gingham. All good patterns. Must go at per yard

**19c**

72x90 full size Sheets, regular \$2.00 value. Must go at

**\$1.19**

\$1.75 Ladies' full size Flannellette Night Gowns. Must go at

**98c**

\$1.50 Ladies' extra heavy ribbed Union Suits, all sizes. Must go at

**79c**

35c Ladies' black or white Hose, all sizes. Must go at per pair

**19c**

Misses and Children's Union Suits, all sizes, values up to \$1.50. Must go at

**69c**

Lot of Children's Trimmed Hats, values up to \$3.50. Must go at

**98c**

Full size Suit Cases, regular \$3.00 grade. Must go at

**\$1.49**

35c Children's Hose, all sizes. While they last. Must go at

**19c**

\$1.25 and \$1.50 Boys' Knee Pants, all sizes. Must go at

**69c**

Lot of Men's and Boys' Caps, values up to \$1.25, all sizes. Must go at

**39c**

## Surprise Dep't. Store FOR THREE DAYS ONLY SATURDAY, MONDAY and TUESDAY Jan. 25th, 27th, and 28th.

In the last Three Days of our GREAT SACRIFICE SALE we are offering YOU the biggest bargains ever offered anywhere, at any time. We are determined to close out all our Fall and Winter merchandise regardless of cost or value. Cost and profits are absolutely forgotten! It's up to YOU NOW to come and take advantage.

Men's Suits and Overcoats	Shoes! Shoes!
Special lot of Men's Overcoats, all this season's styles, all sizes, values up to \$25.00, at <b>\$7.95</b>	Special lot of Men's every-day and heavy work Shoes, all sizes, \$3.50 and \$4.00 grade at <b>\$1.98</b>
Special lot of Men's Suits, values up to \$25.00 at <b>\$9.75</b>	\$4.50 and \$5.00 Men's and Ladies' Dress Shoes, all sizes, at <b>\$2.95</b>
Men's Suits and Overcoats, values up to \$35.00 at <b>\$12.75</b>	\$7.00 and \$8.00 Men's and Ladies' fine Dress Shoes, all sizes at <b>\$3.98</b>
Unrestricted choice of any Men's Suit or Overcoat in the store, values up to \$50.00, at <b>\$15.75</b>	\$3.50 and \$4.00 Boys and Girls, solid leather Shoes, all sizes, at <b>\$1.98</b>

Boys' Suits	Ladies' Coats and Suits
\$5.00 and \$6.00 Boys' Suits, sizes 3 to 8 only, all wool material, at <b>\$2.98</b>	Special lot of Ladies' Coats. Not all sizes in this lot but a great big bargain at <b>\$2.98</b>
\$8.00 and \$10.00 Boys' all wool Suits, all sizes up to 18 at <b>\$4.98</b>	Special lot of Ladies' Suits all wool serges must go at <b>\$7.95</b>
\$13.50 and \$15.00 Boys' Fine all wool tailored Suits at <b>\$7.98</b>	Ladies' Coats and Suits that sold up to \$35.00. Must be sold, and will be sold at <b>\$9.75</b>
Any Boys' Overcoat in stock at Half Price.	

Pants! Pants!	Waists! Waists!
Lot of Men's every-day Trousers, all sizes, good styles, at per pair <b>\$1.98</b>	Special lot of Waists slightly soiled, worth up to \$3.50 now <b>59c</b>
\$5.00 and \$6.00 all wool Pants, all sizes and styles, at <b>\$2.98</b>	Lot of Silk Waists that sold up to \$8.00 and \$10.00 now <b>\$2.98</b>

Millinery	Skirts! Skirts!
Unrestricted choice of any Ladies' Trimmed Hat in the store at One Half Price.	Special lot of Skirts that sold up to \$8.50, all sizes in this lot. A wonderful big bargain at <b>\$2.98</b>

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Our experience and advice may be of value and assistance to you. Consult us freely at any time.

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**The Business Man's Right Hand**  
That's what a good bank is. That's what this old, reliable bank has always been.

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**YOU SAVE 20% at OUR STORE!**  
Buy your Groceries fresh and Smoked Meats, Fruits and Vegetables all under one roof and save yourself 20 per cent at the Connellsville Market.

**FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SPECIALS**

50 lb sack Flour	\$3.20	3 packages Macaroni	25c
25 lb sack Flour	\$1.80	2 bottles Red Seal Catsup	25c
1 bu Potatoes	\$1.85	1 large bottle Catsup	15c
1 pk Potatoes	48c	1 quart jar Olives	25c
3-1 lb packages Purity Oats	25c	2 cans Velva Molasses	25c
2-15c packages all brands Rolled Oats	25c	3-1 lb cans Tomatoes	25c
2-15c packages Pancake or Buckwheat Flour	25c	1 large can Tomatoes	20c
2 cans Richland Corn	25c	6 cans Lighthouse Cleanser	25c
2 cans Hominy	25c	6 cans Sunbrite Cleanser	25c
2 cans Beets	25c	Large box Swift Pride Washing Powder	25c
1 large can Alice Pork and Beans	15c	4 bars Lanox 4 Swift Pride, 4 Borax 4	

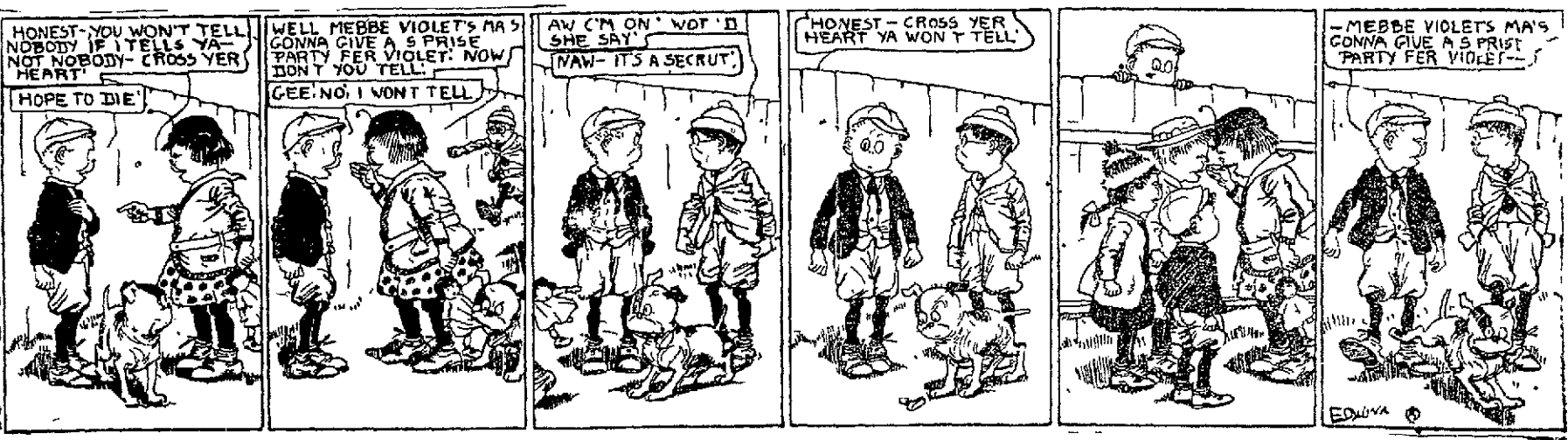
Run-No-More or 4 Swift Naptha for 25c

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"CAP" STUBBS.

IT'S A SECRET.

By EDWINA



## HERE IS NEW EAST

Result of British Occupation of Mesopotamia.

Ages-Old Seminal Peace of the Desert Gives Place to Activity Which Amazes Traveler Familiar With the Old Days.

It was early morning when I arrived at Basra, the seaport of the Mesopotamian zone, and I stood for two hours or more at the dock rail, wondering vaguely why somebody did not come to take me ashore, while I watched with intense interest the disembarkation of the troops we had brought, and a scene along the river bank of tollsome and bewilderingly multifarious industry. Eleanor Franklin Egan writes in "The War in the Cradle of the World." It was war—indeed, the century war—in the process of destroying for all time the semioleat peace of a world that has drowned for ages in eastern dreams.

The Arabs—children of the desert and laborers of hopeless ease and ancient methods—say: "The British came with the smoke." But it was the other way round. The smoke came with the British, and it rolls today in black spirals of industrial abomination, from workshops innumerable, from electric power plants, from many steamboats and from tall chimneys and funnels of every kind all round the horizon. And with the British came also the loud murmur and the clatter and clank of toll, the shrill shriek of the locomotive and the bank of the horns of the motor.

The Arabs say also: "Telsure is God-given and basic to the evil one." They never worked before in all their lives, but they are working now, and they are working with a rapidity and cheerfulness which denote much with regard to the reward they get and the character of the discipline they are under.

But the scene on the amazing river bank looked to me like the utmost in disorderliness and confusion. Docks and wharves were lined with ships and crowded with men and women—coolies—working and fashion, coming and going in endless lines, carrying on heads and bent backs boxes and bales of materials and materials and materials. Acres of low sheds stretching away into the fringes of the palm groves; miles of closely spaced open space seen hazy through clouds of dust; pyramids of hay and smoked grain under light green canvas; mule wagons, motor lorries, ammunition carts, ambulances, an artillery convoy setting under way out across a baked gray waste in the distance; automobiles hurrying hither and thither; officers on handsome horses moving slowly here and there; a long line of all-military donkeys tricked out in brightly ornamental pack saddles and with jangling halters and strings of brass beads round their necks; a longer line of ambling, munching, disdainful nosed camels on the way down to the adjoining dock, where they were being swung up one by one, like so many bales of hay, and deposited in the hold of a big gray ship; it was a scene to hold the newcomer's attention and to make the time pass swiftly.

"Safety" Umbrella Handle: A certain wise man of this city persists in carrying an umbrella with a broken handle. The handle has come loose from the center rod, and twists around and around on the rod.

"Why don't you glue that on?" asked one who is perpetually telling other people what they ought to do.

The man gave his broken umbrella a whirl, and replied:

"I don't fix it because I find it quite useful this way. The other day, for instance, I took it to the theater with me, and placed it between my seat and the next."

"When the show was over, my neighbor absent-mindedly reached for my umbrella, caught the handle and marched off. After he had gone a few feet he looked down at the handle he had drawn—and then he threw the handle away. 'I came along and picked up my handle. Why should I get it fixed so somebody can get away with it?'—Washington Star.

## Great Tunnel Opened.

With the holding of the official ceremony in honor of the piercing of "the hole in the southern Alps," the great Otira tunnel of New Zealand took its place proudly as one of the world's longest subways. The full story of the Otira tunnel has been described in the Christian Science Monitor, but the fact that it is five miles and thirty-five chains in length, and that the first shot at the Otira end was fired on May 3, 1903, may be recalled. Owing to scarcity of labor due to the war, it may be two years before the permanent way is laid through. By that time the water power available will have been harnessed in readiness to drive the electric trains that will run from Canterbury to the west coast.

## Checking a Presumption.

"There is a rumor that you may be asked to assume leadership of your struggling country," ventured the trusted retainer.

"I have heard such a rumor," answered Wilhelm.

"Well, you may be a painter and a poet and a lot of other things. But there is a limit to human versatility. With your shabby record for truth and veracity, don't you ever try to pose as the George Washington of Germany?"

## Calling Attention to It.

Miss Polymore—It's a beautiful present and so original. I never saw a watch on a necklace before.

Miss Jonderson—That remark may have been witty or merely stupid. That is not a necklace; it's a bracelet.

## Got the Hook.

Uncle Si—What became of that rascally actor chap you had working on your place?

Farmer Hi—Fired him. He seemed to have the idea that farm work was a twenty-two minute sketch and a two-hours' rest-up.—Boston Transcript.

The Best Place to Shop, After All

## Announcing Our Year End Clearing Sale

SALE IS OFF ON A RECORD RUN—STARTS FRIDAY, JAN. 24

This is our Annual Clearing Event—which has been in the planning for many months—that builds success upon success with each recurrence. A sale in which stocks must move, in which prices are reduced to the point where they impose thrift obligations, where the people consider themselves constrained to save, for self or family.

An extensive gathering of broken lines occasioned by our tremendous Holiday Business are greatly reduced for quick disposal at prices approximating (and some for less) than manufacturing cost today. These lots cannot last long. Come early and get yours. First choice is best.

See them in Our Show Windows. Come and Look Them Over

## FOR WOMEN

Women's Grey Kid Cloth Top Shoes, Louis leather heel, \$9.50 kind **\$7.45**

Women's Grey Kid Cloth Top Shoes, military heels, \$9.50 kind **\$7.45**

Women's all Brown Kid Shoes, Louis leather heel, \$8.50 kind **\$7.35**

Women's Brown Kid, Brown Cloth Top Shoes, leather Louis heel, \$8.00 kind **\$6.95**

Women's all Brown Koko Calf Lace Boots, military heel, \$6.50 value **\$5.85**

Women's all Brown Kid Lace Boots, military heel, \$7.50 value **\$6.85**

Women's Gun Metal Calf Lace Boots, military heel, \$6.50 value **\$5.00**

Women's Black Kid Lace Boots, Louis leather heel, \$7.50 value **\$5.95**

97 pairs Women's Gun Metal and Patent Leather Button Shoes, Cuban heel, cloth and leather tops. These shoes range in value from \$3.50 to \$4.00. Sizes 2½ to 3½. Sale Price **\$1.50**

Another lot of Women's Grey Kid Lace Boots—broken sizes. Every size mark in the window. Look in and see if your size is there. These shoes are worth \$8 and \$10 the pair. If you can find your size they are **\$2.95**

## Rubbers

Rubbers! Rubbers! Rubbers! All kinds, all styles, for men, women and children.

Men's 1 Buckle Arctic at **\$1.65**

Men's 4 Buckle Arctic at **\$1.98**

Men's Cloth Storm Alaskas **\$1.85**

A good grade of Women's Rubbers—all styles and sizes **90c**

Boys' Rubbers, all sizes **75c**

Boys' 1 Buckle Cloth Arctic **\$1.85**

Misses' Rubbers, a good grade, all sizes **65c**

Children's Rubbers, a good grade, all sizes **55c**



## FOR MEN

Men! If you want to save money on your footwear you certainly can do so at this sale.

Men's Dark Brown Button Shoes, medium high toe and heel, all sizes, \$7.00 value **\$5.00**

Men's Dark Brown Blucher Shoes, medium high toes and heel, \$7.00 value **\$5.50**

Men's medium heavy Blucher Shoes, freak toe, leather lined, \$7.00 value **\$6.35**

Men's Dark Brown English style Shoes, \$8.00 kind **\$7.35**

Men's Gun Metal Button Shoes with medium high toes and heels, worth \$7.00, now **\$5.00**

Men's Gun Metal Blucher Shoes, medium high toe and heel, \$7.00 kind **\$5.50**

Men! Here are some real bargains. Not all sizes in the lot, but if you can find your size you certainly save money. This lot consists of Tan English Shoes, some medium and some dark shades. All are bunched together and priced at **\$4.50**

Another lot of Men's Black Gun Metal style Shoes, nearly all sizes. This lot will appeal to men with narrow feet, as most of them run in widths A and B. These are going at **\$4.50**

Another lot of Men's Gun-Metal Button Shoes, some with high toe, and a few English styles, and bunched together for **\$3.25**

Florsheim's Black Gun Metal Calf Shoes, English style, \$8.00 kind go for **\$6.00**

## FOR GIRLS

A few good values for the girls

Misses' Gun Metal Lace Shoes, English style, \$3.50 value **\$2.95**

Misses' Dark Brown Kid Lace Shoes, dark brown cloth tops, English style, \$4.50 kind **\$3.85**

Misses' Gun Metal Button Shoes, medium wide toe. A good school shoe. Regular \$2.75 value **\$2.15**

Misses' Dark Brown Lace Shoes, medium narrow toes, cloth top, \$4.00 kind **\$3.45**

Children's Gun Metal Button Shoes, sizes 6 to 8 **\$1.95**

Misses' Patent Colt Button Shoes, cloth or leather top, \$3.00 kind **\$2.15**

Misses' Gun Metal Button Shoes, medium toes, cloth top. This makes a good Dress Shoes. It's a \$3.00 value **\$2.15**

Don't fail to ask about the prices on our Misses' and Children's Rubbers. You can save money and you'll need Rubbers before the winter is over.

## Shoe Findings

Dark, light, and all shades of grey and brown Liquid Shoe Polish for ladies' Fancy Kid Boots, 25c kind for **19c**

Black Oil Paste Polish, the 15c kind **10c**

Shoe Laces in all shades and lengths, 15c kind **10c**

Forester's Corn Pads, best corn medicine on the market—only **7c**

## FOR BOYS

All our Button and Lace English and high toe styles of Boys' Shoes (Excelsior make) go at a reduction of 50c the pair.

Youths' Dark Brown Lace, English style Shoes, \$4.00 kind **\$3.00**

One lot of Boys' Patent Colt Button Shoes. These shoes formerly sold for \$4.00. For a quick clean-up **\$1.50**

Another lot of Boys' Gun Metal, button and lace Shoes, going for **\$1.50**

One lot of Boys' Button Shoes, in Gun Metal Calf, high toes, going for **\$1.95**

Little Gents' Gun Metal Lace Shoes, all sizes, from 9 to 13½, and plenty of them, going at **\$1.95**

Ask about prices on our Boys' Rubbers when in the store. Buy them now while they are cheap.

## House and Evening Slippers

Men's Black Imitation Ligator Slippers **49c**

Men's Embroidery Plush Slippers at **49c**

Men's Black Imitation Alligator Slippers **49c**

Women's Wine Felt Julietts, ribbon trimmed, \$1.50 kind **\$1.00**

Children's Red Felt Julietts, all sizes, \$1.25 kind **98c**

Women's Pink, Blue and Lavender Boudoir Slippers, made in poplin cloth, \$2.50 kind **\$1.85**

## Evening Slippers

Women's Silver Cloth Slippers, high Louis heel, Fox make, \$7.00 kind **\$5.65**

Women's Mat Calf Beaded Slippers, Louis heel, \$5.50 value **\$4.50**

Women's Mat Calf, 5 bar Beaded Slippers, Louis heel, \$5.50 value **\$4.50**

Growing Girls' Black Satin Slippers, low heel, \$3.50 kind **\$2.50**

## Overgaiters

Women's Over-gaiters, in nearly all shades and sizes, \$2.50 kind **\$1.87**

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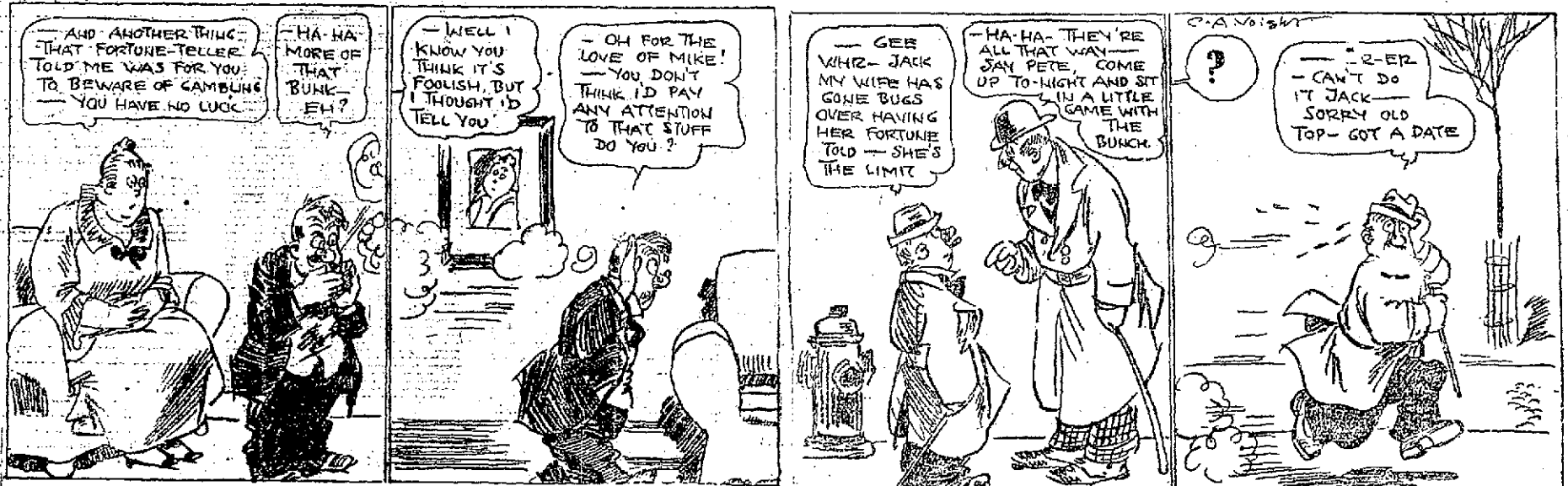
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PETEY DINK—It May Be a Bunk, But Why Back the Jinx?

By C. A. VOIGHT



You Will Save Money by Patronizing Merchants Who Advertise Their Goods in The Daily Courier



# The THIRTEENTH COMMANDMENT.

RUPERT HUGHES

"Everything's got to begin," he said. "Some of the greatest actors are had it rehearsal, and never get over it. Some of the greatest actresses always are at their worst on the first performance. You're bound to succeed. You have beauty and charm and grace and magnetism no end. Don't worry. I'll speak to Reben and make him restrain his temper. We'll make a star of you yet."

There was a fine reassurance in that word "we" in spite of its pleasant tang of impudence. It gave her strength to go to the telephone and call up Reben. She came back in despair and collapsed on the divan.

"Tom Duane was at her side instantly. 'You're ill! In heaven's name, what can I do?'"

His solicitude pleased her. She smiled gratefully. "Mr. Reben told me he was afraid I'd better give up the job. He was very polite and awfully sorry, but he said he didn't think I was quite suited to the work. He said that later, perhaps, there might be another chance, but—oh—oh—oh!"

She was crying with all her might. Gradually she realized that Duane's hands were on her shoulders. He was squeezing them as if to keep her from sobbing herself to pieces. His face was close to hers, and he was murmuring:

"You poor little thing. You mustn't grieve. You're fine and too beautiful for such work."

She flung herself free. "No, no; I'm an imbecile—I'm no good—that's all." Those big hands were at her shoulders again. That soothing voice was ministering courage and praise:

"You are not so good. You shall succeed! I'll make Reben take you back. I've helped Reben out when he was in trouble. I've lent him money and I'll make him give you your chance. I promise that, on my word!"

She stared at him through her tears. They blurred him in dancing flashes of light as if he were a sun god. She caught his hands from her shoulders, but she had to hold them in hers. She was drowning, and she must cling to whatever arms stretched down to her. She must not question whose they were till she was safe again on the solid earth.

Duane was laughing now and putting her on the back as if she were a frightened child. She felt no right to rebuke his caresses. They were

at it. But you're too good for such a wicked life. A person couldn't be an actor without being insincere and a pretender, and my little girl is too honest. So now you come along home with me."

"No, thank you, mamma."

Mrs. Kip gathered herself together for a vigorous assault when the telephone rang and the maid brought word that a gentleman wished to speak with Miss Daphne.

It was Duane, and she braced herself for another blow. But his voice was clear and successful.

"I've seen Reben. It's all right. He's promised to keep you on and give you a chance. He says for you to report at the theater at seven-thirty tonight."

And now again Daphne was more afraid of her success, such as it was, than of her failure. But it was pleasant to carry the news to her mother and Lella.

It disgusted them both. They were still trying to dissuade her from continuing on the downward path when a telegram from her father came for her mother:

"Taking leave arrive. Grand Central tomorrow don't meet me love."

"WES."

Bayard was late, as usual, and Lella's temper had just begun to simmer when the door was opened stealthily and a hand was thrust in. It proffered a small box of jewelry's size and waved it like a flag of truce.

Lella rushed forward with a cry of delight, seized the packet and then the hand, and drew Bayard into the room and into her arms.

"This is your apology, I suppose," she said.

"Yes, the apology for being late, and that's what made me late."

Lella was enraptured. She adored gifts and she had the knack of inspiring them. The little square parcel provoked her curiosity. She opened it so excitedly that the contents fell to the floor. She swooped for them and brought up a platinum chain with a delicate plaque of tiny diamonds and pearls on a device of platinum.

Lella ran to Mrs. Kip and Daphne, exclaiming: "Aren't they beautiful? Aren't they wonderful? Aren't they glorious?"

Mrs. Kip and Daphne tried to keep the pace, but once more they could not forget who it was that was raining down gold on this greedy stranger. Their alarm was not diminished when Bayard said to Lella:

"You're not the only one who can open accounts. I started one for those."

He took from his pocket a pale brochure and said to Lella: "That advance we agreed on, you know?"

"Yes, I know."

"Well, instead of paying it to you week by week I decided to open a bank account for you; so I ran over to this bank at the lunch hour and made a deposit to your credit—five hundred dollars!"

Lella forgot her jewelry for a moment in this new pride. She strutted about with mock hauteur, waving Mrs. Kip and Daphne aside and saying: "Don't speak to me. I'm a lady with a bank account."

Mrs. Kip sighed in dreary earnest, "That's more than I ever was."

Lella was poring over her bank book, the blank pages in which so many dramas, tragedies and life histories could be codified in bald numerals.

Her first question was ominous: "Do I have to go all the way down to Broad street every time I want to draw out some money?"

Her first thought was already to attack the integrity of her store.

"No, dearest," said Bayard, "there is an uptown branch, right around the corner. But I hope your visits there will be more for a put-in than take-out. Every time I give you anything I want you to put some of it aside. Maybe some day I'll want to borrow some of it for a while. Maybe you can give me from a crash some day. Anyhow, it will be a great help to me to feel that I have a thrifty little wife at home. A man has to plunge a good deal in business. It's his wife that usually makes him or breaks him."

Bayard spoke with unusual solemnity. "Old Ben Franklin said, 'A shilling earned and a shilling spent, a fortune. Sixpence earned and a shilling spent, bankruptcy—or something like that. But Moses got ahead of him. When he handed down the Ten Commandments he whispered an extra one to be the private secret of the chosen people."



He Gave Her a Hand-Grip of Perfect Good Fellowship.

such as a brother might give a sister. His arm about her was that of a comrade, sustaining another in a battle.

He was the only one in the world who offered her courage and praise and help in her need.

Duane said, with a matter-of-fact briskness: "I'll call Reben up at once. No, I'll go see him."

"But you put me under such obligations. I'm afraid."

"Never be afraid of an obligation." "I'm afraid I can never repay it."

"Then you're one ahead. But you can repay me and you will."

"How?"

"Let's wait and see. Goodbye. Don't worry."

He gave her a hand-grip of perfect good fellowship and went into his hall. She followed him to tell him again how kind he was. As she was clasping his hand again Lella opened the door with her latchkey.

Now there was triple embarrassment. Tom Duane had paid ardent court to Lella before she married Bayard. Here he was in Bayard's wife's home, apparently flirting with Bayard's young sister.

Lella felt all the outraged sentiments of jealousy and all the indignation of a chaperon who has been circumvented. Duane retreated in poor order. Daphne stammered an explanation too brief and muddled to suit. Then she went to her room.

There her mother found her when she came in later. Daphne had only a faint hope that Duane could work his miracle twice, so she told her mother that she had failed as an actress. She told her bluntly:

"Mamma, I've been fired."

To her comfort her mother caught her to her ample bosom and said: "I'm glad of it. I'm much obliged to whoever is to blame. Not but what you could have succeeded if you had kept

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She Found Batterson Quarreling With a Property Man Over the Responsibility for a Broken Vase.

"What was it?" said Lella with a minimum of interest.

"Thou shalt not spend all thou earnest," said Bayard. "It was—well, it was the Thirteenth Commandment. I guess—a mighty unlucky one to break. The Jews have kept it pretty well. They've been the bankers of the world even while they were persecuted."

Lella shrugged her handsome shoulders and studied the gems.

"Let's not talk about it tonight. Let's dine somewhere and go to the theater. I want to show off my new splendor."

"Fine!" said Bayard, trying to cast away his forebodings and lift himself by his own boot straps. "Get on your duds mother, you and Daphne."

"I can't go," said Daphne. "I've got to be at the factory at half past seven and I've hardly time to eat anything."

White Lella and Bayard and Mrs. Kip were putting on their festive robes Daphne was eating alone a hasty meal brought up tardily from the restaurant.

Before they were dressed she had to march out in what she called her working clothes. The hallman ran to call her a taxicab, but she shook her head. Her humble twenty-five dollars a week would not justify a chariot to and from the shop.

She walked rapidly along Fifth-ninth street, but not rapidly enough to escape one or two murmuring gossips.

She found Batterson quarreling with a property man over the responsibility for a broken vase. He ignored her till at length she ventured to stammer: "Here I am, Mr. Batterson."

"So I see. Well, sit down somewhere."

Finding a seat was no easy task.

Every piece of furniture she selected

"There comes my cue. How are they tonight?"

"Rather cold," said Eldon; "it's so hot."

"The swine!" said Mrs. Vining. Then she shook out her skirts, straightened up and swept through the door like a dowager swan.

One of the box lights began to sputter, and Batterson dashed round from the other wing to curse the man in charge. He ran into Daphne, glared, and spoke harshly: "You needn't wait any longer."

Daphne swallowed her pride and slunk out.

TO BE CONTINUED.

## FOHL REMAINS AS MANAGER

Tris Speaker Declined Leadership of Cleveland Indians—Chance of Securing Leonard.

Lee Fohl, manager of the Cleveland Indians for the last three and a half years, will be re-engaged for the coming season according to James Duhon, president of the Cleveland club. An offer was made to Tris Speaker, star outfielder of the club, but this was turned it down.

Fohl's re-engagement is well received here, as it was felt that Lee has been real successful with the material at his disposal and had Cleveland in the race during practically



Manager Lee Fohl.

cally his entire stay here. He took hold of a hopeless fallender in mid-season of 1913, and the team began to improve from the day he took charge.

As a number of Cleveland's best players will be released from service

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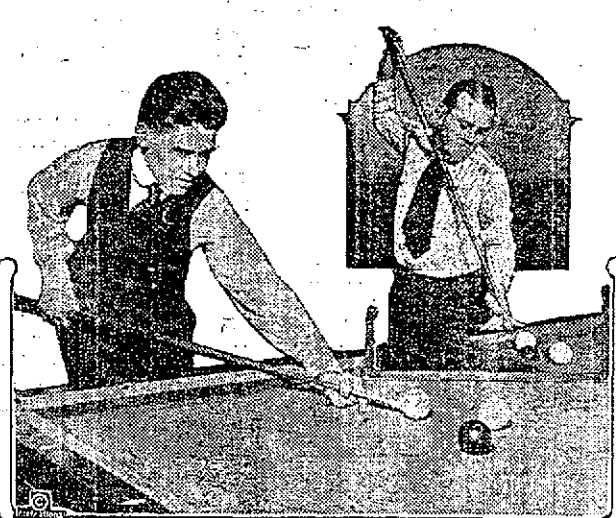
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## WILLIE HOPPE "KNEW SOMETHING" WHEN HE BALKED AT MATCH WITH WELKER COCHRAN



WELKER COCHRAN WILLIE HOPPE CHAMPION HOPPE AND WELKER COCHRAN.

Willie Hoppe had a good reason for making conditions that precluded his meeting Welker Cochran in an exhibition billiard match, in the recent campaign for the United War Work fund. Hoppe, or his manager, R. B. Benjamin, knew the speed at which Cochran was playing. Welker Cochran showed in his match in New York with Orr Morningstar, the recreation's star, that he has improved rapidly in the last six months and is entitled to meet Hoppe for the world's championship.

**Cochran's Big Score.** George Sutton was defeated by Hoppe in Chicago in the match in which Hoppe made his best showing. In this match Hoppe defeated the veteran and averaged 57.7 in 1,500 points. Cochran laid this mark in the shade when he averaged 60 for the last 1,500.

**Cochran Improves.** Cochran's playing in the last months surprises the billiard fans. For several years he has been regarded as a good mechanical player, but lacking in billiard temperament and a poor money player. In his 1,800-point match with Morningstar last winter he averaged around 25.

It has been reported that the Louisville club of the American association is for sale, but O. H. Wathen, president of the club, states that the present owners do not care to sell.

Griffith refuses to worry any about the prospect of losing Johnny Lavin. The shortstop is on sea duty, but that doesn't mean he can't be back with the Nationals when the season opens.

**A Conflagration.** Myrt—What caused the racket down at your house last night? Gert—Oh, nothing much. That young Simkins called and tried to propose to me. Myrt—Well, what of it? Gert—Pa heard him say he was on fire with a mighty love—and he put him out.

## NEW WEST PENN RATES HARD BLOW TO WORKING MAN

Zones So Arranged That Toller  
Is Taxed High as 200 Per  
Cent Increase.

### THE SERVICE IS ATTACKED

Deterioration of It While Cost of  
Travel Is Doubled and More Causes  
Citizens of Dunbar Community to  
Present Some Facts in Controversy.

Continuation of the petition of protest  
against the proposed increase in fares  
at Dunbar and the liberal signing of  
the paper has prompted a well-known  
citizen of the community to give his  
views on the movement in the follow-  
ing words.

There is little wonder that the peo-  
ple are signing in great numbers.  
When it was proposed to build that  
road and right-of-way options were  
being taken, the promise was made to  
charge but three five-cent fares be-  
tween Connellsville and Uniontown.  
When the road was put into partial  
operation this was observed, the  
charge being two five-cent fares from  
Ferguson to Uniontown, and one five-  
cent fare from Pechin to Connellsville,  
but when the line was connected up  
another fare zone was added. The  
people made but little objection for  
they were getting fine service for four  
fares, the cars were operated on time  
and the West Penn prospered—at least  
it so advertised and the stockholders  
had no complaints.

Each year the mileage of road was  
increased, a further evidence of pros-  
perity. At that time there were many  
head-heads carried greatly reducing  
the company's revenues but still it  
made money. Then the passes were  
cut out and the revenues, thereby in-  
creased. Occasional complaint was  
heard of the unequal fare zones some  
being two miles, some three miles and  
one four and one-fourth miles.

After a while the company changed  
hands and the service deteriorated and  
for the past several months has been  
miserable. Notwithstanding the un-  
satisfactory service the rates were  
raised to six cents without improving  
the service. The people, however, put  
up with this, but the present proposed  
outrageous 'zones' and the unreason-  
able increase in fares the people will  
not quietly tolerate. To the people  
here it is apparent that the company  
has deliberately planned to prey on  
laborer, else why end 'the zones' be-  
tween important works and towns in-  
stead of at them as formerly.

"People who live in Dunbar bor-  
ough who work in Connellsville or vi-  
cinity have their cost of travel in-  
creased 100 per cent, those at Pechin  
who work at Connellsville have the  
cost increased 200 per cent. Those  
living in Connellsville who are em-  
ployed at the fuel ace and much of the  
furnace office come from that  
city and their fares increased 100  
per cent.

"As many as 30 or 40 laborers in  
Dunbar borough work at the several  
plants at Mount Braddock. One fare  
now takes them there, but under the  
new plan it will require three fares,  
although the distance is only about  
two and one-half miles. About 20  
persons at Pechin and Jeffers work at  
the same plants. They now pay one  
fare. They will then have to pay two  
to go from Pechin to Dunbar—a short  
half mile or from Jeffers to Dunbar—  
not quite one mile. It will require  
two fares. To send a fare zone at  
Berkons Hill where the fare is but two  
houses and a spring is preposterous.  
Then again the distance from Perry  
to Lemont is but one mile, and yet it  
is a 'zone'.

"To be thus imposed upon and  
silently submit is beyond human en-  
durance. The greed of the company  
is amazing. Its motto seems to be  
'Maximum of Revenue and Minimum  
of Service.' Is this the part of a  
public service corporation? And such  
service! Filthy cars, jammed often  
like sardines, foul with the fumes of  
tobacco, garlic, whisky, beer, and  
heaven knows what else, no protec-  
tion at many of the stops obliging  
patrons to stand in the storm, often  
for an hour or more waiting on a car,  
no toilets at terminals and yet for  
this luxury the people are asked to  
pay parlor car rates.

The Public Service Commission be-  
fore granting a rate advance should  
investigate conditions. It should see  
that profits are based on the physical  
value of the property of the company  
and not on water. If this modern  
Shylock demands his pound of flesh let  
him first give adequate service. The  
people are only asking justice. If the  
commission heads the protest of these  
oppressed citizens of the state, well,  
but if not then a petition will doubt-  
less be circulated and as liberally  
signed, asking the legislature to pass  
a flat mileage law for interurban trol-  
ley lines of one and one-half cents a  
mile or better still provide for state  
county or municipal ownership.

"The West Penn has a monopoly of  
the trolley business in the territory it  
covers, and a private monopoly is un-  
defensible and intolerable and should  
be stamped out. Now that the people  
are in arms let them know the busi-  
ness is a righteous one, or let it re-

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and short lengths have accumulated and promise a sale of rare propor-  
tions. Price concessions are extremely important and should be taken  
advantage of immediately.

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Entire remaining stock at savings of exactly  
one half. Only a few to choose from, but most  
extraordinary values at these prices

### REMNANTS!

One Remnant Lot Corsets  
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stocks of celebrated and well known makes  
Practically all sizes in the lot.

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Wool Caps of good style and quality that sold  
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which these are sold will be the chief centers of interest the last three days of this week. Rem-  
nants will be arranged on every counter both upstairs and down in such a way as to make in-  
spection and selection convenient and easy

Silks	Linings	Linens
Laces	White Goods	Domestics
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prices

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\$1.25 to \$5.00.

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\$55.00 Coats Reduced to — \$27.50  
Coats up to \$150.00 no up to \$75.00

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\$35.00 Suits Reduced to — \$17.50  
\$39.75 Suits Reduced to — \$19.88  
\$45.00 Suits Reduced to — \$22.50  
\$55.00 Suits Reduced to — \$27.50  
Suits up to \$95.00 no up to \$47.50

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Regular \$19.75 Dresses now \$ 9.88  
Regular \$24.75 Dresses now \$12.38  
Regular \$34.75 Dresses now \$17.38  
Regular \$39.75 Dresses now \$19.88  
Regular \$45.00 Dresses now \$22.50  
Regular \$55.00 Dresses now \$27.50

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One Lot Children's Short,  
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One lot slightly soiled Coats of splen-  
did quality that sold regularly up to  
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of becoming styles and colors. Qual-  
ities that sold regularly at \$3.95 to \$6.50.  
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### REMNANTS!

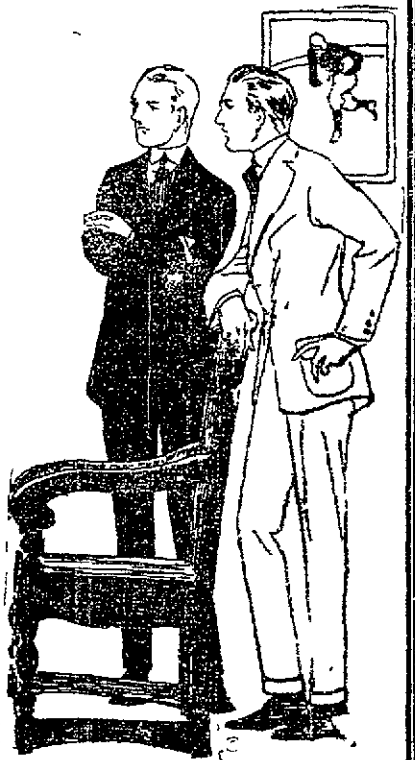
Ladies' Winter Hats  
Reduced More Than Half

—One lot \$18.00 to \$25.00 Hats \$9.95  
—One lot \$12.50 to \$15.00 Hats \$6.95  
—One lot \$ 8.00 to \$11.50 Hats \$4.95  
—One lot up to \$7.50 Hats \$2.95

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Men's and Boys'  
Winter Clothing

—Entire stock Men's Over-  
coats is Reduced One  
Fourth.  
—One special lot Men's  
Suits is Reduced One  
Fourth.  
—Entire stock Boys' Over-  
coats and Mackinaws,  
Reduced One Fourth.  
—All Boys' Suits, except  
Serges, Reduced One  
Fifth.  
—One big lot Juvenile  
Suits is Reduced One  
Fourth.  
—One lot Boys' Caps, \$1  
to \$2.50 values, 35c.



## KIDNEYS WEAKENED BY INFLUENZA

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Now Every Man and Woman  
Should Make This  
Simple Test

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their kidneys and bladder in a weak  
and condition and don't know what to  
do for it. There is a frequent desire to  
urinate they are in and out of bed  
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destroy the poisonous uric acid dis-  
solving the clogged up impurities in the  
urinary organs and expelling them from  
the body.

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If your kidneys are off just make  
this simple test. Have a sample of your  
present urine. Then take a few doses  
of BELLANS today. Tonight see how much  
better you sleep and how the you feel  
in the morning. In a week take me  
another sample of urine. Compare with  
the old. This will tell the story. BELLANS  
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bladder weakness in an hour or there-  
abouts and is perfectly safe to use. A  
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